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TEN THOUSAND CLUB HOLDS REGULAR MEET; GATHER TONIGHT AT 6:30 O'CLOCK TO TAKE TRIP.

Members of the St. Cloud Ten Thousand Club are to meet at 6:30 this evening at the St. Cloud Hotel to accompany the special waterways committee on a trip to Kissimmee, at which place a hearing on waterway improvements in this section will be had by U. S. Engineer Barden. .He is to meet the St. Cloud delegation at 7:30 at the Graystone Hotel, Kissimmee.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the St. Cloud Ten Thousand Club was held last Monday, and despite the fact that there were several other attractions in the city and the weather conditions were not as favorable as usual, fifty progressive business men and property owners were on hand to keep up the work started at the previous meetings of the club.

President P. D. Marine remains ill at his home, and Vice President C. A. Bailey was in the chair Monday, when twenty-one applications for membership were read and approved.

S. W. Porter reported the successful get-together dinner that had been given on January 20, stating that a neat sum had been realized for the club after all expenses had been paid, and moved that a letter of thanks be sent the ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps for the good work in making the dinner a success, which was agreed to by a unanimous vote.

The committee appointed to prepare plans to secure the installation of a white way system of city lights in the business district reported progress and were continued.

T. L. Comer, for the Lookout Committee, reported that conferences had been held with capitalists looking to the erection of a $50,000 hotel on the lake front and that matters were progressing satisfactorily along this line, the details of which would be made known at a later meeting.

Several other projects that are under consideration by the committees of the club were discussed at length.

As a special waterways committee to meet the engineer at Kissimmee tonight, T. L. Comer, J. H. Ferguson, I. E. Diefendorf, S. W. Porter, Mayor Ralls, Geo. H. Rice, W. W. Riley and Rev. Wm. Landis were named by the club. Every member of the club who can get away is to accompany the committee as above stated.

Good of the Order

Rev. Wm. Landis, new pastor of the Methodist church, and a new member of the club, addressed the members and expressed his willingness to help boost the town, and while mentioning some things that could be done along this line suggested that St. Cloud booklets be placed with the Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce, where tourists might learn something of where the town was located when looking for information in that city. He also complimented the city on having so many neat and pleasantly located homes, and said that such places were indeed worth being proud of. He suggested that the city should be a veritable flower garden with the good soil that surrounds the many homes here.

Prof. N. H. Bullard suggested that the members of the club should take steps to help build up the High school library, and was assured that he would receive co-operation in this movement.

Mayor B. F. Ralls said "Count on me" for anything that is for the good of the city, and stated that the club would find the city officials all ready to do all possible to help the work of developing the city along.

Two visitors, Mr. Lowe of Indiana, and F. T. Forsaith of Vermont, favored the club with some pleasing remarks about the work of the club and the future of the town.

The treasurer's report showed a balance on hand of $194.61.

The question of cleaning up the vacant lots came in for a general discussion, and a committee was appointed to co-operate with the city street department and non-resident property owners in this matter, and an announcement from the committee appears in this issue of the Tribune. This committee is composed of N. H. Bullard, N. L. Edwards and J. I. Cummings.

Adjournment was taken at a late hour until Thursday evening, when a large delegation will go to Kissimmee to the waterways hearing.

TEN THOUSAND CLUB COMMITTEE ON CLEAN-UP

At the last meeting of the Ten Thousand Club ways and means of increasing our city's attractiveness were discussed, and during the discussion the fact was emphasized that the appearance of the city would be much improved if the many weed-grown lots about the town were divested of their weeds and other riotous growth.

Comments on the unsightliness of these lots are frequently heard from visitors, and this is to ask that all owners of such lots please clean off same and keep them clean. By so doing, not only will the lots themselves be made more attractive and, therefore, more readily salable, but also the appearance of our city will be much improved and all property here enhanced in value.

Let everybody join the band of builders and boosters and help to reach the ten thousand mark.

Write this committee if you are a non-resident property owner, and we'll gladly loog after your property interests in this clean-up drive.

N. L. EDWARDS,
N. H. BULLARD,
J. I. CUMMINGS,
Committee.

WATCH FOR IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. T. L. Comer, of the lookout committee, of the St. Cloud Ten Thousand Club, advises the Tribune that his committee is working on some business matter that will enable him to make important announcements next week. The details of the plans had not sufficiently matured at press time to be given out this week, but Mr. Comer states the arrangements will be ready to make public in the next issue of the Tribune.

NEW THEATRE OWNERS READY FOR BUSINESS ON SATURDAY NIGHT

Guessaz & Rowland, the new owners of the Palm theatre, have installed their picture machine and are ready to start off their new series of motion pictures, beginning Saturday night, the workmen having finished enlarging the operator's booth at the theatre building and connecting the machine this morning. In order to have time to get the new program of pictures started and to advise the public generally the opening was put off until Saturday, although everything is in readiness today.

The arrangements with leading motion picture manufacturers have been completed for a service of pictures that will equal any shown in the state, and it is the announced intention of the new owners to give the general public high class entertainment as long as proper appreciation of their efforts is shown.

Their announcement appears in this issue of the Tribune, and a regular weekly program will appear each week in these columns, so that the public may know in advance what is coming and reserve dates.

PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary society will be held in the church on Friday, Feb. 13, at 2:30 o'clock. An interesting program on China will be given, with a display of Chinese curios and embroidery. A special invitation is extended to all women tourists. Come and enjoy our fellowship and a cup of real Chinese tea.

The Greeks played an instrument called a lyre. The instrument is still used; but now it's a mouth organ.—Harvard Lampoon.

DIVISION OF THE ROAD MONEY NOT DEFINITELY SETTLED YET IN THE COUNTY

Although it was thought to have been settled at the January meeting of the Board of County Commissioners that in future the road funds would be allotted to each commissioners district in the proposition the tax was collected, today the same old system will continue until some definite agreement is reached in the matter, some of the commissioners changing their minds Monday when the report of County Tax Assessor W. I. Barber, showing what each commissioners district paid in road tax to the general road fund was read. At the January meeting the Board was advised that all state convicts had to be turned over to State Road Department and in future only county prisoners would be available for road work, it was decided then to divide the mules and road machinery equally between each district, and go back to the old system of having each commissioner supervise the road work in his district, and to allot to each district the amount of money collected for the general road fund in that particular district. To do this properly the tax assessor was asked for figures on each district.

Monday Mr. Barber sent his report as requested, which showed that the St. Cloud district paid nearly as much money for roads (aside from the special bond district tax) as the entire remainder of the county, which would have given Mr. Bass' district over $15,000 for road work this year. This is where the disagreement came in.

Last year, and a year before that, the general road money was divided equally between the five districts, regardless of what that district paid. This was what some of the commissioners want this year, especially after the following report was read:

District No. 1, E. L. D. Overstreet, commissioner, tax for general road fund, $3,816.49.

District No. 2, Ernest Mach, commissioner, tax for general road fund, $3,024.63.

District No. 3, John Partin, commissioner, tax for general road fund, $3,628.51.

District No. 5, A. F. Bass, commissioner (St. Cloud district), tax for general road fund, $15,164.47.

District No. 6, John Baisden, commissioner, tax for general road fund, $9,643.25.

The matter was left in charge of each commissioner, the mules having been allotted one pair to each district and machinery allotted as needed to each district. The bills will all be paid out of the general road fund, without division, until some further action is taken. This will put it up to each commissioner to get as much work done in his district before the funds are exhausted as he can. Unless some action is taken at the next meeting, the road funds will not probably last through the summer in this manner of working the roads.

Full Board Present

The full board was present at the meeting Monday, together with Clerk J. L. Overstreet and Attorney Pat Johnston. The routine business was soon disposed of and visitors given an opportunity of presenting any matter to the board that they wished.

County Attorney W. B. Crawford appeared before the board and read a resolution adopted by the county commissioners of Orange county authorizing the purchase of a law library for the Circuit judge in the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit, and asked that such action be taken in Osceola county, mentioning that it was thought Lake county, the other county in the circuit, would take similar action and provide this circuit with proper law books for ithch future. The commissioners adopted the resolution of the needed books provided the same action is taken in Lake county.

I. R. Weatherbee appeared before the board and asked adjustment on his tax assessment for the coming year, and was requested to meet with the board when they assemble as an equalization board in July.

The notary bond of R. V. Phillips, with J. B. Somerset and W. H. Phillips as sureties was presented and approved.

The bonds of the Bank of Osceola county and the Peoples Bank of St. Cloud as depositories of the county, were read and the approval of the State Comptroller noted and filed.

The question of leasing the county convicts to L. R. Farmer, which was passed on at the January meeting and later rescinded at a special meeting, was taken up and after some discussion it was decided that the county would use the convicts themselves and proceeded to arrange for their work and care as before.

Attorney Pat Johnston read a list of salaries paid to attorneys for boards of county commissioners in counties the size of Osceola and stated that while he appreciated very much the appointment as attorney for the coming year, he did not feel he could accept the place unless the salary was raised to something like what it was worth. The list he presented showed that the smallest county in the state was paying $450 per year and others smaller than Osceola paying as high as $1,200. After some discussion it was agreed to increase the salary of the attorney to $600 per year. It has been $250 for several years.

Current bills were read and ordered paid, and estimates of the State engineer on the St. Cloud-Melbourne road for work in January were read, approved and ordered paid by the bond trustees.

The question of building the road and bridge across Jane Green swamp was again taken up and Attorney Pat Johnston agreed to donate $500 toward the expense of same. The road was ordered constructed and the bridge made of timber secured along the right of way except the planking material. This work to be taken up as soon as the road gang finishes the new road under construction from the Partin settlement to the brick road toward Kissimmee.

Quite a little discussion was had on some automobile upkeep bills of County Demonstration Agent R. Thor Weaver, which had previously been turned down, and after some argument it was agreed to pay the bills and refuse to pay any further supply or repair bills for this purpose. It was also decided to inform the county agent that the present conditions of his work was not satisfactory to the commissioners and advise him it was the wish of the board to terminate his employment.

Bill for the balance on the new vault erected at the court house read and approved, making the final payment for the completed job.

The report of State Auditor Matthews, regarding his recent investigations of the county offices, was read to the board and ordered published in the Tribune for the information of the taxpayers.

SUICIDES AFTER THREE ATTEMPTS

George Jennison, aged 81, attempted suicide Friday morning of last week by cutting his throat and then wading into the lake near the sugar belt canal, but finding the water cold changed his mind and went to a nearby house, whose occupants called Dr. J. D. Chunn and the would-be suicide was then rushed to the Chunn hospital, where Doctors Chunn and Buckmaster sewed up the injuries on his throat and pronounced the man out of danger. He improved rapidly until Tuesday morning, when he attempted to hang himself at his home in Doop's Addition, and at that time physicians thinking he was out of his mind had Sheriff Ingram take him in charge to have his insanity case tried. He was placed in jail at Kissimmee about noon, and shortly after noon was discovered to have torn a blanket into shreds and hanged himself in his cell. The body was brought to this city by Eiselstein Brothers and prepared for shipment to Kennebucksport, Me., on advice of relatives at that place. Mr. Jennison came down to spend the winter here last September, and later was married a second time.

McKINLEY DAY PROGRAM

William McKinley was born Jan. 29, 1843, in the city of Niles, Ohio, was the 25th president of the United States and died in office on Sept. 14, 1901.

Last Thursday, Jan. 29, L. L. Mitchell W. R. C., assisted by L. L. Mitchell Post, G. A. R., and other patriotic organizations, met in Memorial hall to celebrate the day in honor of his birth. The seating capacity of the hall was exhausted and standing room was at a premium, and some turned back as they noticed the lack of room was at low follows the program:

"America," three verses were sung by the audience.

Invocation by Mrs. Clara Kenney.

"Lead, Kindly Light," by the Williams orchestra, Mr. Bush at the piano and H. Lee Allen, violin.

Singing, "Battle Hymn of the Republic," by the audience.

McKinley's Birthday Message to Uncle Sam, "Actuated only by Upright and Patriotic Consideration, Moved Neither by Passion or Selfishness. The Government will continue its Watchful Care over the Rights and Property of American Citizens."

Music by H. Lee Allen on the violin, accompanied by Mr. Bush on the piano, two selections.

The school children of Miss Arrowsmith's room gave the flag salute in a very pleasing manner.

Address by Rev. Dr. DeMott of Colorado.

Violin by Mr. Sampson. As an encore he gave a second selection.

Song, "The Deathless Army," by Capt. Nason, accompanied by Mr. Bush on the piano. Encore, "The Flag of the Free."

Music, two selections, by Bush, Warren and Sill.

Mrs. Livermore requested a rising vote of thanks to those who assisted so kindly on the program.

The fourth verse of America was sung by the audience as a benediction.

CHANCE FOR YOUNG PATRIOTS

Children to Compete on a Great National Theme

Secretary of War Newton D. Baker, Gen. John J. Pershing and Gen. Peyton C. March, composing a board of award, will announce to an awaiting juvenile world on April 19 next, the names of three medal-winning school boys or girls who, on Feb. 20, 1920, wrote the best essays of all the school boys and girls of America on the subject: "What are the benefits of an enlistment in the U. S. Army?"

The contest is under the auspices of the War department, and is open to the students of all schools, except colleges and universities, whether public, private or sectarian.

The winners may be of any age, any color, male or female, American or foreign born.

The winners of the contest will be brought to Washington, accompanied by parents or guardians, with all expenses paid, where, on May 5, Secretary Baker will present them with medals. There's a War department gold medal for first prize, a silver medal for second prize, and a bronze medal for third prize. In addition three silver loving cups will be presented to the schools producing the winners.

Other prizes for State, County, District, Township, City and Village winners will probably be offered.

LINCOLN DAY TO BE CELEBRATED HERE

ABRAHAM LINCOLN

The sixteenth president of the United States; born in Kentucky, February 12, 1809. He removed with his family in 1816 to Spencer county, Indiana, and for the next ten years was engaged in laborous work of various kinds, having only about a year's schooling at intervals. His own mother, (born Nancy Hanks) taught him to read, and his step-mother urged him forward in his studies. He read, and reread in early boyhood the Bible, Aesop's Fables, Pilgrims Progress, Robinson Cruso, Weem's Life of Washington, and a history of the United States; and after this early course of reading, he read eagerly every book he could lay hands on, often borrowing from his neighbors. The poems of Burns and the plays of Shakespare became his favorites. He also wrote at first rude, course satires, crude verses and compositions on government, on temperance and other subjects of a kindred sort. At the age of nineteen he took a cargo down the river to New Orleans, where he got his first impressions of slavery, which he never forgot. On the breaking out of the Black Hawk War, in 1832, he joined a volunteer company, and as captain he served five weeks in the campaign. He next opened a country store, was appointed postmaster of New Salem, Ill., began to study law and at the same time turned a mayour land surveyor. In 1834 he was elected a member of the Illinois legislature, to which he was again returned at the three following biennial elections, and ni 1836 he was licensed to practice law. In 1846 he was elected a representative in Congress for the Central district of Illinois, and voted steadily in Congress with the anti-slavery party. In 1854 he was unsuccessful in an attempt to enter the United States Senate. In 1859 he engaged in a famous controversy with Stephen A. Douglas, the Democratic candidate, in which he fixed his position regarding the institution of slavery and gained a national reputation. In the Republican national convention held in Chicago in May 1860 he was nominated as a candidate for the presidency, and was eventually chosen unanimously by the convention On April 14, 1865, President Lincoln was shot in Ford's Theater, Washington, by an assassin named John Wilkes Booth and expired on the following day.

The patriotic organizations of St. Cloud will observe the birthday of Abraham Lincoln on Thursday of next week with an appropriate program to be rendered in the Grand Army hall after the parade which will occur at 9:30 in the morning.

The line of march will form at Massachusetts avenue and Eleventh street, heading east, and all patriotic organizations are requested to fall into line at that point, followed by the entire city schools. The parade will continue east on Eleventh street to Pennsylvania avenue, north on Pennsylvania to Tenth street, west on Tenth street to New York avenue, south on New York avenue to Eleventh street, where the line will open ranks and the school children continue in line of march to the G. A. R. hall, where the following program will be carried out:

Invocation by Rev. J. T. W. Stewart, pastor of the Presbyterian church.

Song by the school children.

Address by Mayor Ralls.

Song, "Battle Hymn of the Republic," by audience.

Lincoln's Gettyburg Address by Comrade J. F. Bullard.

Address by Judge Hoagland.

Song by the school children.

Address—Rev. Wm. Landis, pastor of the Methodist church.

Song by the audience, followed by benediction by Elder J. D. Haner, of the Christian church.

Post Commander will be in charge of the program at the hall.

R. M. McKay will be director in charge of the formation of the line of march for the parade.

This being everybody's day all are urged to lend a hand on this patriotic occasion, in honor of our great martyred President, Abraham Lincoln.

The Messrs. Eiselstein will be ushers at the hall.

ASSISTANT STATE AUDITOR FILES REPORT ON OSCEOLA COUNTY OFFICIAL'S WORK

Assistant State Auditor E. I. Matthews paid a visit to the county court house about ten days ago to make an audit of the books of the county officials. He completed his work in a few hours and has filed his report with the governor. The following letter to County Clerk J. L. Overstreet, and the report which follows it, shows that he found everything in proper condition.

Tallahassee, Jan. 20, 1920.

Hn. J. L. Overstreet,
Clerk District Court,
Kissimmee, Florida.

Dear Sir:—In compliance with Section 167 of the General Statutes, I am pleased to enclose herewith, for the County Commssoners, copy of report on my recent audit of the county offices of Osceola county, which report I am this day filing with the governor.

With kindest wishes, I remain,

Cordially yours,
E. I. MATTHEWS,
Assistant State Auditor.

Tallahassee, Fla., Jan. 20, 1920.

Hon. Sidney J. Catts, Governor,
Tallahassee Florida.

Dear Sir:—I have just recently completed an examination of the offices of Osceola county, and beg to report as follows:

Clerk Circuit Court

The clerk keeps accurate minutes of the Board of County Commissioners, their receipts and expenditures, and has accounted for the collection of subsequent taxes and the sale of tax certificates. There are a few certificates owed for by the former clerk, which are in course of adjustment.

County Judge

The County Judge has accounted for all moneys collected by him from the sale of hunting licenses, and keeps the usual records of the office.

Sheriff

The Sheriff has accounted for Fines & Forfeitures collected by him.

Tax Collector

The Tax Collector has closed out his 1918 tax roll, and has accounted for all other money collected by him.

Respectfully submitted,
E. I. MATTHEWS,
Assistant State Auditor.

W. RILEY GODWIN CANDIDATE FOR MEMBER FLORIDA LEGISLATURE FROM OSCEOLA CO.

W. Riley Godwin, one of the best known citizens of Osceola county has given permission to make the announcement this week that he is a candidate for representative in the next Legislature as a member from Osceola county, and that he will leave the matter entirely in the hands of his many friends in the coming Democratic primary.

Mr. Godwin is probably better known than any other resident of St. Cloud as far as the voters of Osceola county are concerned, and has always been identified with the progress and development of this section. He has been engaged in the cattle raising business ever since boyhood and the manner in which he has treated all who have come in contact with him have made friends in every section.

He is eminently fitted to represent this county in the Legislature, and is more than probable that there will be no opposition to his candidacy in the coming primary.

There has been some talk of other men entering the primary provided Mr. Godwin was not a candidate, but such persons can now rest assured that Mr. Godwin will be in the running, and as stated above, probably will leave him a clear field, as was the case when Mr. Godwin was elected on the county school board in 1918. Mr. Godwin has served this county in several public capacities, and his service has always been highly pleasing.

It is a foregone conclusion that Mr. Godwin will get an unanimous vote in St. Cloud and all rural districts if he should have opposition, and Kissimmee would probably give him two to one over any other candidate.

Mrs. M. A. Campbell of Pennsylvania and Fourth street was very pleasantly surprised on the evening of February 3rd, it being the occasion of her birthday. Her daughter-in-law Mrs. Mette Campbell had arranged it unawares to her. Those present were; Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Brotz, Mr. O. T. Holliday, Mr. Shaw, Mrs. Ellen Baker, Mrs. R. H. Hatcher. The evening was spent in a social way and guessing contest. Mrs. Hatcher won the prize, a beautiful bouquet. At the close Mrs. Metta Campbell and J. T. Briggs served the guests with delicious ice cream and cake. Toasts were given by Mr. Shaw and Mr. Holliday which were quite original.

NOTICE TO TOURISTS

You are asked to reserve the evening of Tuesday, Feb. 24, for the Alkahest concert of The Liberty Belles, three charming talented young women, humorous and purposeful.

These concerts are especially planned for the entertainment of our tourists friends, and we depend on them to patronize and help us make a success of this undertaking.

Early in March the Liliuokalani Hawaiians will appear, a very highly recommended musical treat. The course ticket of the two concerts will be sold for 90c, or 50c for The Liberty Belles and 75c for The Liliuokalani Hawaiians.

The chart is open at Marine's drug store to reserve your seats for either or both concerts.

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World Happenings Of Interest Briefly Reported for Tribune

Serious Unrest Among Farmers Threatens Food Supply

The Postoffice department at Washington has received 40,000 replies to a questionnaire recently sent out to 200,000 farmers in different parts of the country asking for suggestions as to the best method of cutting down the cost of living. These replies indicate that the agricultural conditions thruout the country are so serious as to cause grave alarm regarding the nation's future food supply. It appears that thousands of farmers, because of the shortage of farm labor; the comparatively low prices which they receive for their products and the high prices they are compelled to pay for clothing and farm supplies of all kinds; and also because of the long hours, hard work, and small earnings incident to farming—are planning either to reduce the acreage cultivated so as to produce only enough to meet their domestic needs, or to abandon the farm altogether, thus seriously curtailing the nation's food supply and causing a still further increase in the cost of living.

Some of the replies received by the Postoffice department are as follows:

One farmer writes: "The time is very near when we farmers will have to curtail production and raise only what we need for our own use and let the other fellows look out for themselves. Labor unions are more to blame for high prices than anyone else. People are trying to get pay for what they do not earn."

"I almost fear a famine," another farmer writes. "Farm help everywhere is flocking to the city, lured by short hours, high wages, and the promise of a good time. Some one, I fear, is going to suffer if this condition is not remedied shortly."

Another letter reads: "I sell butter to the dealer for 45c a pound and the same butter sells for 80c a pound. In the distribution we lose nearly half and we lose money on the butter in the first price. Such conditions are causing farmers to leave the farm by the thousands. We have reached a crisis. You may ask what we would do with the middleman. I would suggest that it be arranged for them to go on the farm and help produce things. I understand that they might not relish working fourteen hours a day, but if we get by the near future there will have to be some useful work done by everyone."

A Missouri farmer writes that he is working a 240-acre farm without help and that hundreds of other farmers are doing the same. He declares that "the place to start to lower the cost of living is to cut the high wages in the city, which have called our farm help there. We need them on the farm to help increase production, and then we can cut the cost of living.

Other farmers write:

"I am quiting the farm. Work 14 hours a day for $1 and let the middleman get the biggest share of it? Not me."

"I have just finished figuring up what the eggs, poultry, and cream that I sold last year brought me, and I will not be in business another year."

"The trouble is the big pay, short hours, and good times offered by the cities. All the young men of any account go to the city and there are only a few old men left to farm."

"The time is at hand when the farmer and the consumer must deal directly with one another. The middle man get most of the profits while the farmer does all the hard work."

"To reduce the cost of foodstuffs you must first furnish farmers with first class labor at reasonable wages, and second, you must eliminate thousands of middlemen who are robbing the people wholesale."

"The trouble is the price of everything the farmer has to buy is going up and the quantity he can raise and put on the market is steadily going down."

Privates Excluded From D. S. M. Award, Says General Davis

Brig. Gen. Robert C. Davis, president of the A. E. F. Awards Board, testified yesterday before the House sub-committee at Washington, to the effect that a ruling by the War department during the war excluded enlisted men from Distinguished Service Medal awards. In spite of the fact, the general said, that suggestions that enlisted men be included were made from the headquarters of the American Expeditionary Forces, cabled instructions from the War department stated definitely that enlisted men were ineligible for such awards and that the Order of Merit, formerly the equivalent of the Medal for Enlisted Personnel, could not be revived. This ruling prevented many enlisted men from receiving awards, General Davis said.

U. S. Government to Sell Silk

The silk left on the hands of the government at the time of the signing of the armistice is to be marketed by the government. Samples of silk were shown to buyers in New York yesterday. The silk will be available to all buyers and an effort will be made to give it the widest possible distribution throughout the United States. The silk to be marketed is valued at $10,000,000.

Johnson Boomers Start New York Headquarters

The first Johnson-for-President club in New York City was formed at the Hiram W. Johnson headquarters last night. William M. Bennett was elected chairman of the club and he urged the formation of a committee of 100 to direct the Johnson boom in this city. Among the speakers at the formation of the club was Eustace Cullihan, who came to New York recently to start the Senator's boom. One of Senator Johnson's leading assets in his fight for the nomination, Mr. Cullihan said, is his popularity with labor in the country.

Scientists Disagree Regarding Alleged Mars Signals

The recent statement by M. Marconi to the effect that certain wireless phenomena recently observed indicate that the inhabitants of Mars or some other planet may be trying to communicate with the earth, has attracted wide comment by eminent scinetists. One distinguished scientist, Professor Domenico Argentieri of Rome, has made the following statement:

"These mysterious communications make one think of spiritualistic phenomena, which have been commonly believed to be due merely to natural forces, because of the regularity with which they have been observed, however, scientists believe they are due not to mechanical, but to intelligent force."

A leading American scientist, Dr. Ames, of Johns Hopkins expressed skepticism. He said: "No scientific man should be asked to express an opinion on Marconi's suggestion that certain wireless phenomena indcates that another planet s t.ying to communicate until Mr. Marconi has very definitely described what he has observed."

General Pershing Says American Legion and American Labor Have Similar Aims

In an address delivered yesterday at Pheonix, Arizona, General John J. Pershing told his audiegce that there ought not to be the least conflict between American labor and the American Legion. "These two organizations," the General said, "should go hand in hand together toward progress and common understanding among the different classes of people in America."

Shipping Board Refuses Offer To Sell German Ships As A Unit

Chairman Payne of the Shipping Board refused an offer made by the [illegible] passenger [illegible] market by [illegible] not sell all the ships to any one corporation or combination, but will sell them so that there will be a fair distribution among the various shipping companies," Mr. Payne said. Chairman Payne Said that two policies had been laid down by the Shipping Board, designated to prevent sales to big corporations. One was that the ships must fly the American flag, and the other that some of the designated ships must run in certain trade routes. The Shipping Board will not sell ships of these conditions are not agreed to by bidders.

Dun's and Bradstreet's On Current Trade

The two leading trade reviews, Dun's and Bradstreet's, conflict slightly in their analyses of current trade. According to Dun's, trade is hesitating and uncertain, while Bradstreet's report as mere optimistic. Dun's Review says:

"While the predominating condition with domestic producers and distributers remain one of inability to fully satisfy all requirements, yet signs of hesitation in forward commitments are not wholly absent, and the question is being more frequently asked as to how much longer the rising price trend is likely to continue, and whether elements are not now at work that may before long bring the inevitable reaction. That advances in Dun's list of wholesale quotations this week are fewer in number than last week is not necessarily an indication of a definite check to the upturn, and it is conceivable that prices of some commodities for which the demand largely exceeds the available supply, such as iron and steel and textiles, may go still higher.

Bradstreet's review says:

"Car shortages, wintry weather, and the prevailing influenza epidemics have been responsible for a slowing down in some lines of industry, notably coal mining and iron and steel manufacture, a slight shading in retail buying, and slightly more tardy collections, but against these are to be set a much more confident tone in buying from jobbers, and wholesalers and a practical disappearance of the uncertainty noted last week in primary lines, especially textiles, which have sold better at the East and West under the spur of active buying alike for spring and fall.

"Of the unfavorable elements noted, the car and, in some sections the power shortage shown on most railroads is apparently the most serious. Shortages of fuel have become acute at large iron and steel centres, and the short of irregular supply of coal and coke constitutes a drag alike on production and shipment because lack of usual car supply also prevents shipment of iron and steel mill manufactured products, which are reported piling up."

Railroad Man Denies Gomper's Statement About Freight Rates

Recently Samuel Gompers President of the American Federation of Labor, made the statement that the return of the roads to their owners would be followed by an increase in freight rates that would cause an increase in the cost of living. The statement is as follows:

"Director General Hines and members of the Interstate Commerce Commission have shown clearly that the return of the railroads will involve an increase in freight revenue of close to a billion dollars, the rates being increased 25 to 50 per cent. This increase in rates, according to these same authorities, will be reflected in an increase cost of living of at least $4,000,000,000 a year, probably $5,000,000,000. The American people cannot and should not stand such increases."

Julius Kruttschnitt, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Southern Pacific Company, denied this statement, saying that the return of the roads to private ownership would not cause great increases in the cost of commodities. An increased freight rate he said, would not be followed by an increased cost of living.

New York Health Commissioner Angry Over Increased Price of Coffins

The following communication by the National Casket Company has aroused the indignation of Health Commissioner Copeland of New York. "Because of the sharp rise in the price of lumber and the increase in cost and shortage of textiles, both cotton and silk, we are compelled to again announce an advance in prices.'"

In commenting on this increase in view of the great number of deaths from the influenza epidemic, Dr. Copeland said: "[illegible] very much [illegible] my hands this announcement. * * * it seems to me there is no excuse for this and I shall turn the matter over to the Federal authorities for investigation."

Bankers Offer New Plan For European Relief

The Administrative Committee of the American Bankers Association has offered a new plan for European relief. It is that congress appropriate sums sufficient to allow the United States Grain Corporation, or other suitable agency, to purchase and export foodstuffs and other necessities to the countries of Europe, outside of Germany, and to Armenia. It is suggested that the commodities sent to these countries be sold on credit to their Governments, with the Grain Corporations taking care of the distribution.

Governor Coolidge Says Labor Must Not Oppose Public

Speaking at a dinner of the Dartmouth College Alumni Association at Boston, Governor Coolidge of Massachusetts asserted that the leaders of highly organized labor "ought to remember what happened to organized industry when it got to the point where it thought it could live without the law."

"As capital went down when it undertook to be the law," the Governor continued, "so organized labor will fare if it goes to the same point that organized industry went. What we need today is that labor and capital shall be representive of the will of the great public. Government must at all times represent the great public will. If it does that we have solved to a large extent most of our present day difficulties. Government must be supreme. That is the basis of all civilization."

House Appropriates A Million To Watch Liquor

The House of Representatives at Washington appropriated $1,000,000,000 to guard 68,000,000 gallons of liquor in the 800 bonded warehouses throughout the country. In the debate it developed that this amount will not be sufficient unless the liquor is concentrated in a few warehouses and a heavy guard placed over the supply.

Sir Oliver Lodge Says Hero Dead Have Communicated With Living

Sir Oliver Lodge, the eminent scientist, delivered a lecture at Baltimore where he repeated his former statements to the effect that communications had been sent to him from those who had died in the war, saying they were "very happy and going on with their work." Later Sir Oliver said:

"'The boys died fighting and they woke up in the spirit world still fighting and very excited. Those who sent messages said it was their work to calm newcomers in the spirit world, to tell them where they were, which they don't know in many cases, and to show them what to do next.'"

Soviet Representatives Says Full Recognition Of Bolshevik Russia Inevitable

In the course of his testimony before the Senate sub-committee investigating Russian propaganda Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, Soviet representative to this country, said that the conditional lifting of the blockade against Soviet Russia was "very definite evidence that

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SPECTACULAR FLYING AT SOUTH FLORIDA FAIR TAMPA

airplane flying yet seen in the south, This is the promises of the director of the South Florida Fair, to be held in Tampa, from Feb. 16 to 21, inclusive, with low round-trip passenger rates applying from all points in Florida east of the Chatahoochee river. To the flying stunts will be added automobile races by professionals, eight spectacular free acts and thirty or more shows, some of them European importations, which will be furnished by the Johnny Jones exposition, the largest aggregation of the kind now on the road.

Desiring to present nothing but that which is novel and thrilling, the fair directors have contracted for daily appearances of three of the world's greatest fliers—Roger Williams, formerly with the Canadian flying corps, who leads the world in making changes from one plane to another while going at a speed of 70 miles an hour; Ralph Johnson, who holds the world's record for looping-the-loop, and Lieut. George Haldeman, a star performer of the American aviation section of the Carlstrom field, Arcadia. This daring trio will arise from the fair grounds each afternoon at 5 o'clock and entertain the crowds with wing-walking, parachute dropping and acrobatic stunts, with the change from plane to plane, executed by Williams on one or more days. In short, Floridians who think they know something about aviation are going to be presented with spine-tickling thrills that will last for some time. Also those who wish to indulge in airplane flights can do so at any hour of the day from the fair grounds, those skilled aviators, being prepared to keep three new passenger planes busy.

The fair, in every department is now ready for presentation; in fact exhibit space in all buildings, including those newly built, was practically exhausted a month before the opening date. Similar progress has been made in preparing for the revived Gasparila Carnival, which promises to be the most brilliant of the series of festivals.

OLD VIRGINIA MINSTREL SHOW

Before a jolly big audience in a tent at the corner of N and Mariposa streets last night, the Old Virginia Minstrelmen showed to a more than well pleased crowd. All through the show was sprinkled bits of vaudeville sketches and in connection with the show proper was a big success. Hi Henry in a fire eating sketch captured the applause of the evening, although he was given a close race by the ragtime singers and dancers. The performers are all negroes, coming from the land of cotton.

The show was one big long laugh from start to finish and the minstrelmen in coon songs and cake-walks made a big hit. The women members of the troupe took part in many of the dances and carried off several of the capers of the darkies down south.

The appearance of the show at Fresno last night was the initial performance in this city. The Old Virginia Minstrelmen travel in two private cars and under the management of C. L. Erickson. The company consists of forty people.—Fresno Republican, Fresno, Cal. They will appear in St. Cloud Saturday, Feb. 7th.

THE HOOSIER SOCIETY

The Indianians of St. Cloud met in the upper G. A. R. Hall Monday, February 2, 1920, at 2 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of reorganizing the Hoosier Society. The meeting was called to order by the president, J. N. Wright. Opening song "America," followed by a prayer by the chaplain, J. P. Lynch. On motion of J. O. McNew, Geo. Hunter was chosen to act as secretary pro tem, after which the constitution and by-laws were read by the president. Then the "new-comers" and tourists were invited to join the association. 29 new members were enrolled. The officers of the society were then elected for the term of six months.

J. N. Wright was re-elected as president; J. O. McNew as vice president; George Hunter, secretary; Rev. N. W. Beauchamp, chaplain. After a talk by the chaplain the by-laws were amended to allow the secretary to also act as treasurer.

After business matters were disposed of we were favored by the following program:

Reading, "Indiana" by Mrs Bullett.

Reading, "When the Frost is On the Punkin," by Mrs. Myers.

Song, by the president, "Way Back in Indiana."

Duet by Elizabeth Ward and sister, "On the Banks of the Wabash," and for encore sang "Silver Threads Among the Gold."

Talk on the products of the good old "Hoosier" state, by W. F. Mollyneaux, of Gary, Indiana.

Closing song, "Battle Hymn of the Republic."

The meeting then adjourned to meet the third Monday, Feb. 16th.

A cordial invitation is extended to parties of other states to become associate members honorary, by the payment of the men of the 25c admission fee. All ladies and children free.

George Hunter,
Secretary.

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SUB-TROPICAL MID-WINTER FAIR AT ORLANDO READY TO STAGE

The stage for the Sub-tropical mid-winter Fair is set and all that remains is for the curtain to rise and the band to play and the wheels to go round.

The wonderful exposition will start promptly at 10 a. m. It promises to be a great show, filled and running over with exhibits in every department, and it will be found to be more than a mere fair, for in scope and proportion it rivals a state exposition.

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The finest poultry exhibit ever staged, in a newly prepared building, set up in the highest class by many enthusiastic poultry financiers under the rules of the American Poultry Association.

Three cracker-jack exhibits, complete to the last detail from three counties, Volusia, Seminole and Orange, guaranteed to be the best ever.

Five splendid Community Exhibits of uncommon excellency from Winter Park, Winter Garden, Oakland, Ocoee and Apopka.

Our first special automobile show, a separate building completely filled with popular cars of quality.

The Educational building containing twenty-four booths of school, county and state educational exhibits of great interest.

An art exhibit of many fine drawings, paintings and decorated china and basketry by artists of merit.

A woman's fancy work department with thousands of beautiful conceptions of every description, captivating to the women of every clime.

A domestic display of Florida grown fruits and vegetables, preserved and canned, of rare interest and worthy the study of an epicure.

Commercial displays of preserved fruits and jellies of superior merit, one by the Eatsum Company, costing several thousand dollars.

A machinery exhibit embracing pumping, lighting, irrigating, plowing, etc., and tractors in operation.

Natural woods, grains, grasses, seeds, flowers, fertilizers and soils.

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Positively the finest and largest program of races in Florida. The best string of horses ever played on the track.

Fireworks day and night on the opening day by the best artists in America.

Big speeches Tuesday morning by senatorial, congressional and gubernatorial candidates. Congressman Wm. Sears, Governor Catts, Candidates Hulley and Watson and probably Senator Fletcher will honor the Fair by their attendance and participation.

The largest school parade will occur on Educational day when several hundred students will parade.

A spectacular pageant by the school children, descriptive of Florida history, through Indian, Spanish, French and English occupation.

Moving pictures by the State Board of Health, musical contests, educational lectures—a great Community sing by the 300 Tourist Chorus, and last but not least, Johnny Jones' greatest shows on earth, 400 people employed in many wonderful entertainments, animal shows, horse shows, wild west, little people, and a hundred other truly great features.

United States Army and Navy exhibits of rare war relics .

FOURTH CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY SHERIFF

J. H. Smith, Who Ran In 1916, To Try For Place This Year

In this issue of the Tribune will be found the announcement of J. H. Smith as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Osceola county, this making the fourth man to offer himself for the favors of the voters for this particular office in the primary to be held in June.

J. H. Smith lives in the county, about midway between St. Cloud and Kissimmee, but for a number of years was a resident of the Narcoossee section, and was a candidate in the race for sheriff in the primary of 1916.

Having been a resident of this section for many years, he is known to most of the voters in this vicinity, and believes that he has become familiar with every part of the county in a manner that will fit him to make a good sheriff if elected. He intends to make a quiet but thorough canvass of the entire county before the primary, and he believes he has enough friends and supporters to make him a winning candidate.

PRESBYTERIAN RECEPTION

On Tuesday evening, Feb. 10th, the Presbyterian church will give a reception at the manse to Presbyterian tourists, and a very cordial invitation is extended.

This is to be an informal get-together, and a good time is assured.

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(Contributed by S. C. Hash, Jr.)

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For when you go out on the street
They hand you such a friendly greet;
You feel so welcome that you say,
Some day I'm coming here to stay.
We have nice paving for your feet,
Our climate surely can't be beat,
H. C. of L. is quite remote,
Our fine curb market gets his goat,
For here's the land of fruit and flowers,
And thanks to God, we call it ours,
Our City Fathers are some lads,
They make the very best of dads,
From no one will they take a fall
But do the things that's best for all.
Some chronic kickers used to tell
How St. Cloud had gone plumb to—well!
They're left—we're glad they've gone,
We hope they'll always journey on,
And should they ever write to know
How St. Cloud came to prosper so,
Our Ten Thousand Club—our St. Cloud boosters,
Our contented, happy, crowing roosters,
Would answer them—write back and say:
"We pull together—that's the way."

The positions and industries of cities are usually fixed by natural conditions, but the most powerful agent is the personal energy of enterprising and persevering men, who, by superior education, or scientific knowledge, or practical foresight, have often been able to found industrial centers in situations which no geographical considerations would suggest or explain.

BY LAKE AND STREAM IN FLA.

The coming of students from schools in other states to spend the winter and carry on their work in Florida, for various and obvious reasons, shows that knowledge of our climate and other advantages is spreading.

Florida is an all-the-year-round state. Get that fact firmly fixed in your mind. Every season is of rare charm in our state, where folks can be out of doors any day and fill their lungs with good air. Particularly at a time when the people of the northern states are forced to seek artificially heated quarters.

Winter is a garden making time in Florida, and practical lessons in a very useful industry can be imparted. The northern students can help raise lettuce crisp and ready for the table, enjoy strawberries temptingly red, and see the orange harvest in progress in the mid-winter holiday season when the ground in their distant states is covered with snow, and the rivers bound in ice.

Statistics of the United States weather bureau bear striking testimony to the salubrity of the climate of Florida during every month of the year.

There was a time, before hygienic science advanced to the point which it has now attained, when the prevalence during the summer season of diseases which modern scientific methods have brought under control gave an unfavorable impression of the climate of the Peninsula state and lent color to the exaggerations of unfriendly sensationalism.

Yellow fever, with malarial complaints, more than all other causes combined, bore the responsibility for wild and weird stories that gained almost universal currency concerning the summer climate of Florida. Besides, there were the wrong notions prevalent about snakes, alligators and other supposed noxious things that made life a burden in what was otherwise a delightsome land.

When science reduced the yellow fever down to the mosquito what would have been accounted a miracle had it occurred in the Dark or Middle Ages was wrought. The danger from yellow fever has gone, and there is no longer any mystery as to the cause of malaria and typhoid fever. With the facts well fixed in the public mind knowledge has spread in regard to general health conditions, Florida is now in the front rank of states in the matter of healthfulness.

The main thought in this connection, however, is that of out-door schools in the fall, winter and spring months in Florida, at a time when the weather in the north is not all that could be desired.

In these outdoor or camp schools natural history can be taught in a popular way, [illegible] instruction in useful occupations and studies. Boys and girls can be taught to care for temporary quarters, to use tools, to make a camp fire, to pitch a tent, row or handle a row boat, construct shelters and camp furniture, cut food, prepare fishing tackle, make traps and engage in various features of woodcraft, and indulge in outdoor games and sports, all of which induce practical thought so helpful in cases of emergency.

Instruction, however, can be extended beyond mere woodcraft to very profitable and fascinating lessons in natural history, in all of its varied departments to which can be added astronomy, surveying, sketching, photography, taxidermy, etc. Musical instruments might be taken along too, and beginners given their initial lessons in the woods, away from sensitive ears.

The outdoor life gives ample scope for youthful activity, manifested in running, jumping, swimming, etc. Kite flying can be indulged in; marks shot at with blowguns, slings and bows and arrows; tests of strength and agility be made in tugs of war, in leap frog, in pitching quoits, climbing trees, in playing ball, and scores of other games and pleasures known to young people.

Swings can be put up, hammocks swung, and see-saws made, and no end of healthful and delightful pastime secured at no cost except a little head work and beneficial muscular exercise.

The field for the study of natural history is unlimited.

The botanist will find plants, flowers clinging vines and fern life in a hundred delicate forms among mighty trees whose lofty branches overspread races now resting in mounds where the archeologist can delve and read from bones and rude pottery the story of the past.

'Not a tree,
A plant, a leaf, a blossom but contains
A folio volume. We may read, and read,
And read again, and still find something new,
Something to please, and something to instruct."

The geologist, too, with pick, hammar and shovel can work in the phosphate beds and find the fossil remains of huge animals common here before the era of man. The mammoth elephant, sabre-toothed tiger and other beasts of ancient times, the alligator still here perhaps being a survivor of the uncouth forms of life of the early ages.

For the ornithologist, with trap, gun and glass, birds abound in numbers and variety. The haunts and habits of the feathered tribes can be studied with an ease and freedom hardly equaled anywhere else in the country.

The entomologist, with nets, collecting boxes and bottles, will not find as many flying, creeping and swimming things as in the tropics, but material is not lacking for immediate instruction and future study.

A college museum in an Eastern state has a cabinet containing many different specimens of insect architecture, the chiseled cells of the carpenter bee, the cups of firm masonry built by the mud wasp, waxen cells of bees and paper ones of hornets, houses of the finest spun silk, and coarsely made cocoons of chips and earth. This collection was the gift of a twelve-year-old girl and the labeling were entirely her own work.

Cameras—"you press the button and we do the rest"—surveying instruments, sketching and painting materials can be provided and lessons given to the pleasure and benefit of all interested. Sketches can be taken from nature, and photographs made to be studied in the quiet of home life in after years.

Persons of artistic turn of mind may learn much of the art of preparing and mounting the skin of birds and animals in life-like attitudes, while in camp, by giving the matter proper care and industry.

The evenings can be spent with instructive talks and jolly stories under skies as clear as those on Chaldean plains which gave birth to astronomy. There can be no more glorious nights than those of Florida. The sky fairly blazes with stars:

"One sun by day, by night ten thousand shine,
A tongue in every star that talks with men."

Moses Folsom in Times-Union.

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ST. CLOUD Sat. Feb. 7

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Road Work Paid For By the State Automobile Taxes

It is interesting to note that the counties that have the best roads pay the biggest auto taxes, and in consequence have a larger amount of money for the up-keep of their highways.

Office of the State Comptroller, Ernest Amos, Comptroller, Tallahassee, Fla.

Dear Sir:—

You may be interested to know something about the motor vehicle registrations in this state during the past two years. Briefly stated, it is covered as follows:

	1918	1919 (to Dec. 8)
Passenger cars	42,702	50,468
Trucks and Commercial cars	4,880	6,927
Total	57,582	57,395
Paid in for upkeep of State Road Department (15% net receipts)	$42,220.72	$51,900.00
Paid in for Prorating to Counties: (85% of net receipts)	$236,300.00	$294,100.00

Proportionate amount of money paid upon maintenance of State Roads: in the different counties based upon the taxes as assessed: (85% net receipts).

	1918	1919
Alachua	5,623.94	7,634.84
Baker	1,311.47	1,767.54
Bay	2,221.22	2,502.79
Bradford	2,303.93	2,770.42
Brevard	3,383.82	4,087.99
Broward	2,634.75	3,026.29
Calhoun	1,305.81	1,961.65
Citrus	2,020.37	2,264.57
Clay	1,572.76	1,890.95
Columbia	2,552.04	3,317.45
Dade	9,404.74	10,967.23
DeSoto	6,609.31	7,922.46
Duval	33,141.07	40,703.44
Escambia	10,314.49	12,546.31
Flagler	954.65	1,509.90
Franklin	1,176.77	1,367.57
Gadsden	2,043.99	3,129.22
Hamilton	1,984.92	2,308.68
Hernando	1,729.72	1,999.89
Hillsborough	19,215.92	28,077.72
Holmes	1,448.52	1,694.02
Jackson	3,126.25	3,714.48
Jefferson	1,838.41	2,167.52
Lafayette	2,225.95	3,273.33
Lake	4,255.76	4,961.47
Lee	5,200.96	6,005.52
Leon	3,164.06	3,555.67
Levy	2,741.08	3,135.11
Liberty	940.47	1,031.11
Madison	2,530.77	2,990.83
Manatee	5,330.93	6,111.40
Marion	5,290.76	6,049.64
Monroe	3,005.74	3,640.96
Nassau	2,448.07	3,020.41
Okaloosa	1,776.98	2,102.81
Okeechobee	1,181.50	2,049.88
Orange	5,496.34	6,384.91
Osceola	3,884.77	4,279.15
Palm Beach	5,534.15	6,711.36
Pasco	3,078.99	3,658.60
Pinellas	7,341.84	8,775.94
Polk	11,625.96	16,040.21
Putnam	3,811.52	4,452.67
St. Johns	7,374.92	8,693.69
St. Lucie	3,445.25	4,361.50
Santa Rosa	2,900.84	3,120.22
Seminole	2,965.56	3,385.09
Sumter	1,902.21	1,967.53
Suwanee	2,585.12	3,849.77
Taylor	3,854.05	5,732.01
Volusia	8,199.61	10,261.15
Wakulla	659.28	835.24
Walton	2,110.16	2,541.02
Washington	1,396.53	1,646.96
Total	$236,300.00	$294,100.00
Refunds paid, 1918		14,826.54

After deducting the necessary expenses incidental to sending out tags, the receipts are paid into the State Treasury, 15 per cent to keep up the State Road department, and 85 per cent for maintenance of State roads in the several counties. Heretofore, it seems that failure to adequately provide for maintenance has generally been the weak spot in our road system.

The powers of the Comptroller are limited by law to the administration of the statute, and no duty is put upon him to enforce the act. In other words, failure to comply with the law is made a criminal offense and punishable by fine or imprisonment, just the same as violation of any other criminal statute, with which the Comptroller has nothing to do.

Tags will be sent out within forty-eight hours, or less, after receipt of application correctly made out. The use of paper tags "License Applied For," dealers' number plates for personal use, or any others than those furnished by the Comptroller is unlawful.

I believe in fair play and everybody should have fair treatment and a square deal. While it is not incumbent upon me to do so, if you happen to know of any person who is violating the motor vehicle law and will send me such person's name and address, I will take pleasure in using my good offices to try to have him comply with the law.

Yours for a square deal,
ERNEST AMOS,
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and
A Two-Reel Mack-Sennett Comedy

TUESDAY, FEB. 10:—
A Pathe Feature
"Woman's Pleasure"
and
Pathe Comedy

THURSDAY, FEB. 12:—
A Pathe Feature
(Title Not Yet at Hand)
and
A Pathe Comedy or News

Coming attractions will be announced in these columns each week, beginning next Thursday

Show Begins Saturday at 7:30

WASHINGTON NEWS LETTER

Weeding Out Deadwood in Departments

Not so many years ago, when it was a case of "to the victor belongs the spoils," senators and representatives were lavish in their efforts to place as many people as came their way in soft jobs in the government departments, not caring much whether the appointees earned their salt or not, just so they were on the rolls to draw some comparatively easy money from Uncle Sam. But the tables are turned now and government employees are quaking in their boots. Congress has developed a streak of economy that is bound to weed out and drop all the deadwood in government employees who cannot show that they are an essential part in Uncle Sam's big working machine. Senator Smoot of Utah started the ball rolling when he played the part of detective, going through the War Risk Bureau with its ten thousand employees and observing that hundreds of them had only enough work to keep them busy a portion of each day. He kicked up a hornet's nest by recommending that the work of the bureau be divided among other government departments, which would result in saving the government several million dollars yearly in salaries. Then came a Representative who stood in the hallway of a government building and overheard the conversation of several girl employees who were laid off for the day so they could attend a matinee at one of the theatres because there was no work for them to do. The case was cited in the House and evidently started more of the lawmakers on tours of inspection of different bureaus and at a time when the employees are raising a hue and cry that they be paid larger salaries. Congress is keeping its weather eye on the government clerk and government clerks are beginning to realize that the offices in which they are employed are not public playgrounds.

Meeting of the World War Veterans

Now for the first annual encampment of the World War Veterans. It is to take place in Washington next August or September, and preparations are already under way for the entertainment come from every section of the country. Congress has expressed its willingness of the thousands of visitors that will to appropriate a large sum to aid in housing and caring for its soldiers, and the business men of the Capital City have pledged funds to make the encampment a success in every way. It is peculiarly fitting that the first encampment should be held at the seat of government and that the veterans of the World War should trod in parade the same famous thoroughfare upon which their fathers or grandfathers marched when the boys of '61 passed in review before Lincoln at the close of the Civil war. Though the greatest number of marchers in the coming parade will be those who served in the war against Germany, there will be groups of veterans who have carried the Stars and Stripes to the most distant points on the globe.

An unusual memorial is to be placed in the State, War and Navy building. It is in the form of a tablet placed in the wall and will commemorate the services of horses and mules used by the A. E. F. which were killed in overseas service. The animal casualty list showed that 63,000 animals were killed in action. Seven hundred horses were lost at sea.

Protect Milk Supply

One-sixth of all food consumed by the average American family consists of milk and milk products. Milk is very nourishing, but there is no other commodity which requires more careful handling. Tainted milk spreads tuberculosis, scarlet fever, diphtheria and septic sore throat. Bacteria grow and multiply in milk. Milk should be kept covered and cold at all times when not in use.—Anti-Tuberculosis Bulletin.

The Love of Country

Love for this country may not have been born in the heart of the foreigner who is now earning his living in the United States but it can be cultivated by heeding the advice of "America first" Americans and closing his ears to the vile doctrines of radicalism. There is no room for him between the Atlantic and Pacific, the Gulf and Canada if he is not willing to at least make the attempt.—Ex.

Astronomer's Night Off

They struck up a conversation in the hotel lobby and finally one man suggested a trip to the movies. The other politely declined.

"Don't you want to see Viola Vampire?"

"Nope."

"Nor Yorick Hamm in his latest comedy?"

"Nope."

"What's the matter, my friend? Aren't you interested in the various stars?"

"Not this evening. I'm an astronomer taking a night off."—Kansas City Journal.

POLL TAX NOTICE

In order to qualify for the City Election to be held in March, Poll Taxes must be paid on or before Saturday, Feb. 14th.

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3t Tax Collector.

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Mrs. Phoebe Fulton of Gary, Ind., is visiting at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Clausen.

Western beef and mutton at Rowland's market Saturday, for your Sunday dinner 1t

Dr. O. L. Buckmaster, physician, surgeon and osteopath, Conn building. 24tf

O. E. Spence of Kissimmee, representing the Mutual Life Assurance Co., was a business visitor in St. Cloud on Tuesday.

Dr. Dodds, Physician and Surgeon; office rear St. Cloud Pharmacy. 13tf

The meeting of the Ohio association which was to have taken place on Feb. 11, has been postponed till a later date on account of Orlando fair.

S. W. Porter, real estate, insurance. tf.

Mrs. J. W. Newton of Lexington, Ky., arrived on January 29th to visit with her mother, Mrs. Joseph Ely, and her brothers, W. H. and G. W. Tromater.

Mrs. A. E. Drought announces that she will continue the insurance and tax paying agency of her late husband. 22tf

The Army and Navy Union, No. 141, meets every first and third Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Moose Home, on New York avenue. F. B. Munsell, adjutant. 18tf

Dr. Strait at St. Cloud hotel says he has several good lots that must be sold before he can go home, as the walking is not good. Look for the Red stake. 22tf

Workmen are rapidly completing the brick work on the two brick store rooms being erected by Gabe White for Geo. H. Hastings at the corner of Eleventh street and Pennsylvania avenue.

P. D. Marine, president of the St. Cloud Ten Thousand Club, who has been ill for the past four weeks at his home on New York avenue, continues to improve and will be able to get out in a short time.

St. Cloud Lodge, No. 66, I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday night in the upper G. A. R. hall at 7:30 o'clock. T. M. Summers, Noble Grand, Fred B. Kenney, Secretary. J. D. Harris, Treas. All visiting brothers welcome.

Mrs. S. K. Swift, who was recently reported to have given five books left with her by D. H. Gill, had presented thirty-four books, and in some manner the Tribune was informed there were only five. We make this correction in justice to all concerned.

Western beef and mutton at Rowland's market Saturday, for your Sunday dinner 1t

Wilson (Daddy) Bobo, who spent several winters here, died Jan. 30th at Sandusky, Ohio, and was buried at Piqua, Ohio, on Sunday. When Mr. Bobo left St. Cloud in March he had had a toe removed. Later it was necessary to remove his foot, and still later the entire limb was amputated. He was thought to be recovering for three months after the last operation, but became suddenly worse and died Friday.

Auto for Hire, S. W. Porter. tf

Western beef and mutton at Rowland's market Saturday, for your Sunday dinner 1t

B. F. Scott returned Thursday after spending several months in Pennsylvania. He will reside at Connecticut avenue and Sixth. Mr. Scott was accompanied by his niece, Mrs. Lottie Maitland of Newcastle, Pa., who will visit her mother, Mrs. J. W. Scott, and her brother, A. S. McKay.

The official record on the rainfall in St. Cloud for Saturday night, as kept by Postmaster John J. Johnston, shows that we had only 2.85 inches during that night. Other parts of Florida reported anyway from 7 inches in 7 hours, to fourteen and three-quarters of an inch in 24 hours, these points being near the Atlantic.

Just drop around to the curb market on Tuesday, Thursday or Saturday and fill your market basket with fresh, green vegetables being supplied by the people around St. Cloud. It will make you appreciate this climate as you possibly never have, when you read of the cold and snow in states to the north of us.

Manager J. D. Woodbeck of the Graystone Casino, Kissimmee, has booked the musical comedy "The Love Doctor," for next Monday. This company carries a large chorus of good singing and dancing girls, together with an excellent orchestra, and the patrons of the theatre are assured a good, clean show. Prices will be $1 and $1.50.

Rev. S. J. Riddle, father of Dr. L. C. Riddle, of this city, arrived Sunday evening to attend the bedside of his son, who had been seriously ill for several days. Dr. Riddle, however, is much improved and will soon be able to get about again. Mrs. Riddle and baby, who were also confined to their beds by illness, are reported improving rapidly.

Bailey's Bus to Kissimmee, 9 a. m., meets train for Tampa and Jacksonville 1 p. m. Meets train for Tampa and Sanford. Ride with the bus. Uncle Sam and the freight will take care of the railroad. By request will meet trains No. 28 and 85. 22tf

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ellis of Milwaukee, Wis., are visiting Mrs. A. H. Marskie on Massachusetts avenue. They encountered two wrecks while en route. Mr. Ellis has been an engineer on one run on the Milwaukee and St. Paul road and is now taking a vacation. His brother, Charles Ellis, spent last winter here and will soon be here again for the rest of the winter.

Guessaz & Rowland, new owners of the Palm Theatre, have arranged an up to date program of high class motion pictures to begin with a show on Tuesday of next week. The first show under the new management will occur on Saturday night, and it is expected that the house will be filled to its capacity. If the people of this city encourage the new owners by filling the house, superior motion pictures will be supplied at every show. Local appreciation must be shown to encourage better entertainment.

Judge and Mrs. Hoagland returned to St. Cloud yesterday afternoon from a three weeks' trip down the East Coast when they visited all the important points along the way, stopping at Miami, and later leaving their car at Homestead, Fla., while they made the oversea trip to Key West. Judge Hoagland favored the people of Homestead with one of his fine addresses while stopping in that city. Judge and Mrs. Hoagland are stopping at the St. Cloud hotel and are being greeted by a large number of friends they made on their previous visit here, when they celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Johnson spent the week end at Miami.

Mr. Grantham of Kissimmee was a St. Cloud caller on Tuesday.

J. W. Thompson of Kissimmee was a St. Cloud caller Monday.

Lilburn Godwin has returned home after completing a course in bank bookkeeping.

Mrs. Toole of Murdock, Nebraska, is among the late arrivals at the Wonder City.

Capt. C. P Leavitt of Columbus, O., arrived last week to spend the winter in our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Barber of Carolina station were St. Cloud visitors last Thursday.

The New England Society will meet in the upper G. A. R. Hall Tuesday the 10th at 2 p. m.

Mrs. Bert Durham returned Wednesday after spending a few days with her sister at Thonotosassa and Tampa.

Hon. J. L. Overstreet and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Bass of Kissimmee were calling on friends in St. Cloud last Thursday.

Mrs. Maxwell of Michigan, who is spending the winter in Kissimmee was the guest of her niece, Mrs. James Goff Thursday last.

Colvin Parker, Milford George and Boyd Daugherty, students at Stetson University, spent the week end in St. Cloud with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank and son, Earl, left on Tuesday for Tampa and St. Petersburg for a short visit, after being guests at the Phipps home in this city for some time.

Maurrie Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnson, of this city, died at Akron, Ohio, at 7:30 this morning after one week's illness of pneumonia. Word was received just as this form goes to press.

On Thursday of last week Samuel Ackerman and Ed Depew brought in a 16-pound catfish which was among their catch at Lake Conlon that day. They had been camping and report a fine catch every day of their stay.

F. W. Cook, sister and mother, of New York, were among the arrivals last Friday. They were guests here last winter and have a number of friends who will be glad to learn they are in Florida again.

Mrs. Metta Campbell and her mother in law Mrs. M. A. Campbell and Mrs. J. T. Biggs, who have been stopping at the Lake View Hotel are now very comfortably located in the Hughes property on Pennsylvania and 4th St.

Mrs. F. H. Siglow of Montclair, N. J. and Mrs. Robert Montgomery and Miss Esther Holliston of Willoughby, Ohio, are here for the winter and are staying with Mrs. E. D. French in the Kinsman bungalow on Vermont Ave.

For the card party next Monday in the St. Cloud hotel, Mrs. S. W. Rode and Mrs. Harold Hedrick will act as hostesses. This is another of a series of pleasant entertainment that have been given each Monday at the hotel for some time.

Monday morning the employees of the postoffice were presented with a batch of 47 mail sacks to distribute their contents to the patrons of the office. It took from the arrival of the train until afternoon to complete the task. This was an unusually heavy mail for the time of year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kessler of Detroit, Mich., arrived in St. Cloud last Thursday and are stopping at the Penn cottage. Mr. Kessler has a son at Jacksonville, B. P. Kessler, who has purchased 126 acres at Lake Como, Fla., to make a winter home, at which place the father and mother plan to make their future home in this state.

Friday evening of last week the members of the Epworth League of the Methodist church gathered at the home of Miss Vera Johnson, 8th and Pennsylvania avenue, for their monthly social gathering. Interesting games and music made up a delightful evening's entertainment. Refreshments were served.

Mabel Harriet Bristol, aged 5, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bristol, who came to St. Cloud six weeks ago from DesMoines, Ia., passed away Wednesday afternoon after an illness of only five hours. The funeral was conducted at the home of Rev. Stewart this morning and the remains were shipped this afternoon by Eiseistein Brothers to Des Moines, Ia., for interment.

Taken from my residence, 631 Pennsylvania avenue, on Christmas eve, a small black seal hand bag with silver mountings and two narrow leather strap handles. It contained one $5 bill, two $1 bills, 67c in 2-c postage stamps, a small brown kid purse and a receipt for $5 made out to me on that day. Any one finding the bag will confer a great favor as it was a gift from a dear friend. Return to me and receive reward. Mrs. Wm. B. Rush. 23tf

A party was given by Pearl and Wayne Davis Saturday last at their home on Pennsylvania avenue. The little folks indulged in games and were served oranges, sandwiches and candy, and each went home feeling they had spent a pleasant afternoon. Those in the party were Viola Updike, Lelia McQuade, May Hollenbaugh Lena May Harris, Urda Bass, Geraldine Johnson, Reva Randall, Florence Coyle, and Inez Shellenberger.

A. A. Allburn of Sioux City, Ia., an old-timer in the printing game and an uncle of Rev. H. H. Bowen, dropped into St. Cloud Sunday for a visit with relatives, only to learn that he had passed through their new home town, Birmingham, on his way here, without knowing that the Bowens had moved. Mr. Allburn said that he had been in every state in the Union except Florida and had decided to see this state this year. He stayed until Tuesday, when he journeyed on to Tampa for a short sight-seeing tour.

On Jan. 21 a farewell supper was given to Misses Helen and Grace Bowen by Mrs. Zimmerman's Sunday School class at the home of Miss Vera Johnson, 8th and Pennsylvania avenue. The girls of the class gathered to make the affair a surprise to the Misses Bowen, they not knowing any other guests were to be present when they were asked to visit Miss Johnson on that occasion. The young folks enjoyed music for some time after the dinner was served.

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NEWS ABOUT ST. CLOUD METHODISTS.

Though the weather was not all that could be desired the congregation last Sunday was fully up to expectation.

The Junior League, under the leadership of Miss Nina Cary, showed an increase in attendance and interest. The Senior League also had a most interesting session.

Next Sunday morning the Rev. J. J. Treadwell will be present and preach for us. Rev. Treadwell always brings us something good and should be heard by the entire membership and visiting friends.

In the evening the pastor will preach, having for his subject "The Grand Purpose."

The session of the quarterly conference will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

On Tuesday evening the Sunday school board will meet in regular session.

Wednesday is the hour of fellowship and prayer, and this service should not be neglected. The various units will meet during the week, according to announcement.

REPORT OF WOMEN'S IMPROVEMENT CLUB MEETING

On the afternoon of Feb. 4th the Woman's Improvement Club held its regular session with the new president, Mrs. Lou Hendricks, in the chair.

After a brief inaugural address reports of various committees were heard and the ordinary business of the club disposed of.

Mrs. Best of Kissimmee gave an earnest talk on the Armenian question, depicting the horrible conditions of these "Martyrs of the Century," and telling of their desperate need of help. She asked us to organize in order to do systematic work throughout the city in raising money for this cause. Mrs. Zimmerman was appointed to take charge of the campaign and called for an immediate collection, Miss Dora Thorn leading with a subscription of fifty dollars. Seven and one-half dollars was added to this, and there is no doubt as to the generous response which our people will make to this appeal.

A social hour followed. Music was furnished by Miss Mona Searles, voice, Miss Helen Daggett, violin, and Miss Winifred Bauter, piano. Tea and wafers were served, and the meeting adjourned. SECRETARY.

W. C. T. U. NOTES

The Womans Christian Temperance Union met in the Baptist church on Monday, February 2, 1920, at 2 p.m., the President, Mrs. Clara Kenney, in the chair. After singing Mrs. DePew led the devotional service, leading a responsive reading from the Psalms, and calling upon Mrs. Daniels to offer Prayer. Roll call was responded to by nearly all present, either by repeating a text of scripture, or a select reading. The secretary read the record of the last meeting, after which Mrs. Kibbe read a letter regarding the medal contest, and distributed some books which had been ordered. Communications were read by the committee on drinking fountains, quoting prices, and a committee was appointed to confer with the school board in regard to securing better drinking water for the school. A committee was appointed to collect funds for the fountain and tablet. Many good things were suggested by several of the ladies present, for the good of the order.

Mrs. Kenney gave an interesting talk basing her remarks on Deut. 22, 8; "When thou buildest a new house, then shalt thou make a battlement for thy roof, that thou bring not blood upon thy house, if any man fall from thence." In the construction of these battlements, we first seek the protection of our own. We would have their blood upon us, if we do not protect them from drunkenness, and its long line of horrors. We should also help to erect battlements around our town our county, our state, our nation, and the world. So much has been said about the boy, which is all well. Uncle Sam has for many years encouraged the ruin of our boys, making them physically unfit for service, by the use of liquor and cigarettes, because of the revenue which he derived therefrom; but listen! when he wanted to hire men to serve him, in the army and navy, he rejected those whom he had ruined through the saloon, and kindred places, and accepted only the clean, clear brained, and physically strong, and of some account for Hun targets, not the ones he had poisoned.

Was it right that these should pay the price? We often wonder if all the mothers of our lovely girls, of the teen age, are as careful as they should be to know in what kind of company they are. Our girls are just as precious as our boys, and it is just as important for the world to have clean, noble girls and women, as men. Strive to build the battlements strong around our homes and nation. Foreign children as well as men and women, are coming to our shores, and they need the battlements erected around them. In a recent newspaper it was stated that 50,000 Poles have applied for passports to go back to Poland, where beer is plentiful. We can get along without them, and the beer also.

The meeting adjourned with the W. C. T. U. benediction. The next meeting will be Feb. 16th and the subject, Frances Willard Memorial. The leader will be Mrs. Cooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodin of Dayton, O., came in last Tuesday and are pleasantly located at the Seminole Hotel.

"Where shall I drop you?" absentmindedly asked the pilot of the air limousine to a friend he was taking out on a jaunt.

KANSAS ASSOCIATION PROPOSED NAME OF MID-WEST ASSOCIATION

TO INCLUDE OTHER CITIZENS FROM OTHER WESTERN STATES IN ONE BODY. NEXT MEETING ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17th.

A new organization to be known as the Mid-West Association, to be composed of citizens formerly living in Kansas, Nebraska, Missouri and Oklahoma, was proposed at the last meeting of the Kansas Association, with a view to having an organization with a larger membership. In such new organization the various members would wear badges from their respective states when in session.

The Kansas association met Tuesday in the old G. A. R. hall, and in the absence of the president, Mr. Hillebrandt, M. E. Morfgan filled the chair. The opening song, "America," was followed by a prayer by Rev. N. W. Beauchamp. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

On motion duly seconded it was voted that the Kansas Association reorganize and take the name of the Mid-West Association, uniting with Nebraska, Missouri and Oklahoma, each state wearing their own respective badges.

It was then decided by vote to have a special meeting on February 17th, at 7 P. M. to meet new members and get acquainted. A program will be arranged for the special meeting.

Mrs. Morgan having charge of the program for Tuesday, the following order was carried out:

Address by A. M. Vance, which was very good and much appreciated.

Address by Dr. August Breunert on Kansas, which of course was received with appreciation.

Mr. Dingle then favored the audience with two numbers on an accordeon.

Reading of poem, "Kansas in 1856," by Mrs. Jennie Ward.

Reading, "Nothing To Do," by Mrs. Flora Cox.

Violin solos by Mr. Worrill.

Reading, "Where the Sunflowers Bloom," Mrs. Morgan.

Address by Rev. N. W. Beauchamp.

Toast on Kansas by Rev. DeMotte:

"I hear the State of Kansas say
As long as I have land to sell,
In all my broad expanses,
The loyal man is welcome—
But the Bolshevik can go to—well,
He can't stay in Kansas."

The closing address was made by Mr. Bird, who was a native born Kansan, and three names were added to the roll of members.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY REPORTED

(Continued from page two)

a new attitude toward Russia has been adopted by Entente countries." The next step, recognition and direct relations, could not be long deferred, he said.

Mr. Martens also stated that many American concerns, including the following, had contracts to supply goods to Russia as soon as the restoration of relations made shipment possible:

Morris & Co., Chicago, meat packers, 50,000,000 pounds of food products at prevailing market prices.

Ella Berlow, 110 Duane Sreet, New York, a $3,000,000 contract for boots and shoes.

Fischman & Co., 395 Broadway, New York, $3,000,000 worth of underwear.

Weinberg & Posner, 120 Broadway, New York, $3,000,000 worth of machinery and tools.

Lehigh Machine Co., of Pennsylvania, $4,500,000 worth of printing presses.

National Storage Co., of New York, miscellaneous merchandise to be delivered at Petrograd valued at $10,000,000.

New York Influenza Cases Increase By 5,532 In One Day

5,532 new cases of influenza and 851 cases of pneumonia were reported last Friday in New York City. This is the second greatest number of cases thus far reported in a single day, the number reported on Wednesday exceeding this total by 37. The deaths from both diseases were however, less than on the corresponding day of the epidemic in 1918.

Bi-Partisan Treaty Conference Dissolves

As has been anticipated for several days, the Senate Bi-Partisan Treaty Conference was completely dissolved on last Friday.

This action by the members of the conference is said to have been due to inability to reach an agreement as to any substitutes for the Lodge reservations regarding Article X of the League of Nations Covenant, by which is is provided that each member of the League of Nations shall guarantee the territorial integrity and political independence of every other member.

It is expected the next move in the treaty ratification fight will be an effort of the Administration Senators, with the aid of certain "mild" reservationist Republication Senators to bring the treaty back to the favor of the Senate for a further period of open debate as to the substitute reservations that have been proposed or are being proposed by the various Senators.

European Financial Structure Said To Be Tottering

The alarming drop in the exchange ate between America and the European countries is causing the gravest concern in Europe. Next week in London a meeting will be held between Chancellor of the Exchequer, Austen Chamberlain and the formost bankers of England. It is considered possible that an international conference will be called also. A London Times editorial on the situation reads in part as follows:

"The Chancellor of the Exchequer has reiterated the Government's decision not to resort to artificial measures for restoring exchanges and none is wanted. Artificial support of foreign currencies would be worse than useless, it would only aggrevate the disease that is gradually eating away the vitals of Europe. Expenditures on unnecessary goods would only be encouraged by such support."

A correspondent of the London Daily News has interviewed von Gwynner of the Deutshe Bank in Berlin on the collapse of German exchange. Herr von Gwynner said:

"The whole fabric of German credit is tottering, but surely no one is now so foolish as to believe that if it crashes down, other European countries are going to escape. Our crash means the crash of France, and in fact of the whole of Europe."

MAYOR WINDER WRITES FROM THE SOUTHLAND

LIMAVILLE TEMPERATURE IS SHADED BY THAT AT ST. CLOUD WITH ROSES INSTEAD OF BIG ICICLES IN BLOOM.

Mayor S. C. Winder, for a number of years chief executive of Limaville, is now regaling in the sunny Southland with headquarters at St. Cloud, Florida. His sympathies, however, are echoed back to his "unable to go south" friends in a heartfelt way. In a letter to the Review he says:

Editor Review and other Friends and Former Fellow Sufferers of the Frozen North;

I greet you this morning in my shirt sleeves, from this wonderful land of sunshine, fruit and flowers. Temperature around 80 degrees maximum and 50 minimum. Kids barefooted; tropical plants and flowers not dreamed of in Ohio. Streamers of gray Spanish moss hanging from boughs of trees, telephone and telegraph wires and poles getting life from the air.

To northerners the effect to the eye is striking and charming as well. I saw in a 30 by 75 foot garden this morning growing, orange and stately banana and other trees not known to me; strawberries, sweet potatoes, onions, lettuce, cabbage, peas, beets. We pick up oranges off sidewalks fallen from overhead branches or buy them 20c a dozen, and butter 80 cents. But curb markets, near my door on Tuesdays and Saturdays before I'm up you get beef and pork for 20c; white and catfish dressed, 20c; or catch 'em in the seven by nine mile lake at hand for the fun of it. On the other hand, milk is 20c and buter 80c. But up one side and down the other it is said to be the cheapest place to live in Florida, if not in the U. S. A.

Everybody speaks to you here on the streets, ladies and all. This latter fact frightened we batchelors some 'til we learned it was the custom down south, and then we breathed easier. No sign here of howling blizzards chasing one another eastward, as up north. We [illegible] folks from most states of the northeast. Some tried California and stopped here.

Many who asked me to write will say where does Winder get all his stuff. But listen! Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas, all of good standing in Marlboro grange, are here and will make affidavits. Then there's E. E. Scranton and others who've been here years. Ed. Hazen and Mrs. E. John Clapsaddle and Mary and others to come soon. Walkers and Kelleys in furnished house $20. Thomas, three fine rooms, $10; Winder in big furnished room near Square, opera house, movies, theatres, churches, stores, postoffice, depot. Dixie Highway, a coast to coast Macadam road—all for $10. Kelleys, Walkers, and Winder go on a five-day tour of southern Florida in taxi, $50. Weget, St. Augustine, Tampa, Miami and scores of other places.

Walkers, Thomas, Mrs. H. Sweitzer, Mrs. J. Crumrine and I took Pullman sleepers at Alliance, Ohio, Tuesday at 8:05 p. m. We awakened in Washington, D. C., at 8:30 a. m., Wednesday. Missed Jacksonville flyer by five minutes, but were glad of it later, when we got a sight seeing, glass-sided and topped taxi, 1 1-4 hours, 20 of us, for 20 "bucks." A strong lunged uniformed man behind a megaphone gave thrilling descriptions of statuary, parks, public buildings, residences of famous men. We got more historical data in that ride than we could on foot or by street car in a week.

Later we'll take a 28-mile jaunt over to Virginia, same way, $1.50 per.

Sleepers for Jacksonville, 9:30 p. m., where day coaches took us to this point Friday morning. Of scenery enroute nothing doing this side Washington. South Carolina in particular seems one swamp after another with an occasional small cotton field, a negro hut, a mule, some dogs, an army of ragged kids and once in a while a sawmill. Charleston and Savannah picturesque and old, yet not as large as Canton or Akron, seem to have fertilizer factories only. All in all, the farther one gets away from Ohio the better it looks to us.

I forgot to say we visited both branches of Congress while in Washington. Heard La Follette on his five day speech against the Cummins Railroad bill. Saw Lodge and Pomerene of Canton and was impressed with the dignity and grandeur of the immense buildings.

Ohio's all right in the good old summer time but her winter moods are too hard on our "souce" and we're thinking of a divorce semi-annually. Our warm sympathy goes to you and your frosted noses to toeses. So long 'till we see you next spring.

S. E. WINDER.

St. Cloud, Fla., Box 691.

G. O. P. TO POLL BIGGEST VOTE IN STATE HISTORY

G. W. BEAN OF TAMPA RETURNS FROM THE STATE CONVENTION

Says Ticket Has Been Named and Will Set Pace For Democrats

"The Republican party in this state will roll up the biggest vote in its history this year," said G. W. Bean of Tampa, member of the Republican National Committee from this state, on his return last week from Palatka, where the state convention of the G. O. P. was held on Thursday, Jan. 29th.

"Moreover," added Mr. Bean, "we are confident that a number of Florida counties will give Republican majorities, not only for president but for Cheney for senator and Gay for governor. And we have strong men named for all state positions, as well as a quartet of very able men for congress. There will be some surprises for the Democrats."

The nominations made by the convention follow:

Delegates at Large to national convention—G. W. Bean, Tampa; D. T. Gerow, Jacksonville; Joseph E. Lee, Jacksonville; W. H. Northup, Pensacola.

Eustis; second district, T. W. Bryan, Gainesville; third district Peter H. Miller, De Funiak Springs; fourth district, Z. T. Bielby, DeLand.

G. W. Bean was re-elected national committeeman from Florida.

Delegates will go uninstructed as to preference for president, but instructed to vote as a unit.

Florida headquarters have been arranged for at the Hotel Sherman, Chicago, by G. W. Bean.

Hon. J. M. Cheney, Orlando, was nominated for United States senator.

Presidential electors—Leland M. Chubb, Winter Park; S. C. Dell, Alachua, N. B. K. Pettingill, Tampa; B. S. Smith, Arcadia; F. F. H. Pope, St. Cloud.

George E. Gay of Palatka was nominated for governor; secretary of state, B. E. Dyson.

Candidates for congress—First district, H. B. Jeffries, Zephryhills; second district, Fred C. Cubberly, Gainesville; third district, M. M. Owen, De Funiak Springs; fourth district P. H. Stickney, Jacksonville.

May Be Some County Tickets

Whether the party will put up tickets for county offices will remain with the county committees. Mr. Bean said last night that a number of counties will, in all probability, have county tickets, and that Hillsborough may be one of them—Tampa Tribune.

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The U. S. Railroad Administration has announced a special reduced rate to and from the Sub-tropical Mid-winter Fair at Orlando, Fla., Feb. 10-13, operative at all Florida stations.

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OCALA, Jan. 31—Realizing the need for more purebred beef cattle in Marion county, the Ocala National Bank has agreed to finance a boy's calf club in this county. J. L. Edwards, president of the bank, told County Agent Sessions that the bank had set aside $2,500 to furnish boys and girls with a purebred calf of one of the standard breeds of beef cattle.

The bank does not wish to limit the boys and girls to one breed, but will supply them with the breed they want. The only restriction placed by the bank is that the boy or girl must convince the county agent that sufficient feed will be supplied and that proper care will be given the calf.

The calves must all be shown at the Marion county fair next fall, at which time the bank will give prizes commensurate with the work done. The best of the calves will be taken to the state fair to be shown in the state contest.

The calves furnished will be good individuals and with proper feed and care will give any boy or girl the right kind of a foundation for a good herd of beef cattle.

The Ocala National Bank is trying to assist in the building up of the livestock industry in Marion county. The boys and girls are going into the club with the intention of showing some first-class calves at the fair next fall. The pig club work in this county has made a wonderful improvement in the quality of the hogs raised and the calf club will do as much for beef cattle.—Tampa Tribune.

Look for the Intent

A majority of the loyal people of this city seem to be convinced that the object of those responsible for the production of opera in German at this time was not to promote the cause of art, but to give audiences of a certain sort an opportunity to make a demonstration of love for the defeated enemy of this country.—New York Herald.

Old King Cole—I've been calling for the last hour for my pipe and my bowl and my fiddlers three.

His Secretary—There's nothing to put in your pipe on account of the embargo on tobacco. As for your bowl, the soviet has put the country on the water wagon and your fiddlers three are out running a revolution.

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Now is the time that your hens will moult or shed their feathers. This process is rather slow and Nature should be assisted. B. A. Thomas's Poultry Remedy will help your hens to moult causing them to shed earlier and be ready to lay when eggs are highest in the winter. If this remedy does not make god, we will. (Adv.) H. C. HARTLEY.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

In Circuit Court, State of Florida, Seventeenth Judicial Circuit, Osceola County.—Nathan Porter, Complainant vs. John Mallory and Anna Mallory, his wife, Defendant.—In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit appended to the bill filed in the above-stated cause that John Mallory and Anna Mallory the defendants therein named are residents of the State of Florida, but resident is unknown, and that they are over the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered that the said defendants be and they are hereby required to appear to the bill of complaint filed in said cause on or before Monday, the 1st day of March, A. D. 1920, otherwise the allegations of said bill will be taken as confessed by said defendants.

It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the St. Cloud Tribune, a newspaper published in said County and State.

This the 26th day of January, 1920

(Ct. Ct. Seal) J. L. OVERSTREET,
Z. BASS, Clerk Circuit Court
Solicitor for Complainant. 1-29 to 2-19

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO SELL LUNATIC'S LAND

In Court of County Judge, State of Florida. In Re Estate of Wellford Addis, Lunatic, Osceola County.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that Annie Lieder as Guardian of Wellford Addis, lunatic, will, on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1920, apply to the Honorable T. M. Murphy, County Judge in and for said County, at his office in Kissimmee in said County, at 10 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, for authority to sell, at private sale, the interest of Wellford Addis in the following described real estate, in said County, to wit:

Lots Five (5) and Six (6) of Block One (1) of Section Twenty (20), Township Twenty-five (25) South, Range Twenty-nine (29) East, known as West Kissimmee.

Lots Three (3), Four (4) and Five (5) of Block "E" of Robert Bass Addition to the Town of Kissimmee City, Florida.

Which application will be based upon the petition for sale now on file in said Court.

Dated January 3, A. D. 1920

ANNIE LIEDER,
Committee.

Jan 8 Feb 12—JSC

In Circuit Court, State of Florida, Seventeenth Judicial Circuit, Osceola County.—Nathan Porter, complainant, vs. Lucy Davis, defendant.—In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit appended to the bill filed in the above-stated cause that Lucy Davis the defendant therein named is a nonresident of the State of Florida, and is a resident of Cleveland, Ohio, and is over the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered that the said nonresident defendant be and is hereby required to appear to the bill of complaint filed in said cause on or before Monday, the 1st day of March A. D. 1920, otherwise the allegations of said bill will be taken as confessed by said defendant.

It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the St. Cloud Tribune, a newspaper published in said County and State.

This the 26th day of January, 1920.

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NOTICE EXECUTRIX FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

In the Court of Couny Judge, State of Florida. In the Estate of Floyd Shumway Correll, deceased, Osceola County.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1920, I shall apply to the Honorable T. M. Murphy, Judge of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for my final discharge as Executrix of the estate of Floyd Shumway Correll, deceased, and that at the same time I will present my final accounts as Executrix of said estate and ask for their approval.

Dated December 9th, A. D. 1919.

MAUDE CORRELL,
12-11 to 2-19 Executrix.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

In Circuit Court for the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida in and for Osceola County. In Chancery. Mary T. Rankin et al, Complainants, vs. E. L. Lesley et al, Respondents. Foreclosure of Mortgage. To all whom it may concern: Be it known that the undersigned as Sheriff of Osceola County, Florida, acting under and by virtue of and pursuant to a money decree entered in the above styled cause on the 5th day of January, A. D. 1920, in favor of Mary T. K. Rankin and John W. Rankin her husband, and against E. L. Lesley and Walter C. Bass in the principal sum of $1,019.16, and the writ of execution consequent thereon, and dated January 28th, A. D. 1920, has levied upon the property hereinafter described, lying in Osceola County, Florida, as the property of the said E. L. Lesley, and will between the legal hours of sale on March 1st, A. D. 1920, in front of the Court House door, Kissimmee, Osceola County, Florida, offer for sale and sell the interest of the said E. L. Lesley in said described property in order to satisfy as far as possible the execution and judgment aforesaid. The property in question is the following: Lots No. 1 and No. 2 B. C. Miller's subdivision of a part of Block H of W. A. Patrick's Addition to Kissimmee; Lot No. 59 of Florida Land and Improvement Company's Addition to Kissimmee; Lots No. 14 and No. 16 of Payne & Payne's Addition to Kissimmee, Fla.; Lots No. 19, No. 50, No. 51, No. 65, No. 68 and No. 70 of Cape Breeze Addition to Kissimmee, all of said lands lying in Osceola County, Florida. The sale will be for cash, to be paid at the time of making the bid. The purchaser to pay for deed. This the 28th day of January, A. D. 1920.

L. H. INGRAM,
As Sheriff of Osceola County, Florida.
JOHNSTON & GARRETT,
Counsel for Complainant.
Jan. 29-Feb. 19.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of final decree of foreclosure entered in the Circuit Court of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, in and for Osceola County, on January 28th, 1920, in that certain cause between Chelten Trust Company, complainant, and R. David Porter and Sophia Porter, Respondents, I will offer at public sale, at the Court House doors in Kissimmee, Florida, on March 2d, 1920, between the legal hours of sale, the following described property:

N half of Northeast quarter or Northwest quarter of Section 24, Township 25 South, Range 29 East.

Terms of sale cash.

Dated Kissimmee, Florida, January 28th, 1920.

JOHN S. CADEL,
Special Master in Chancery.
Jan. 29-Feb 19—W 19

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO SELL MINOR'S LAND

In Court of the County Judge, Osceola County, State of Florida. In Re Estate of Daniel A. Minx and Temple A. Minx, Minors, Osceola County.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that Julia A. Minx as guardian of Daniel A. Minx and Temple A. Minx, minors, will, on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1920, apply to the Honorable T. M. Murphy, County Judge in and for said county, at his office in Kissimmee, in said County, at 10 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, for authority to sell, at private sale, the following described real estate, in said County, to-wit:

Lot 2 of Block 8 of Robert Bass Addition to the Town of Kissimmee City, Florida, which application will be based upon the petition for sale now on file in said Court.

Dated February 2nd, A. D. 1920.

JULIA A. MINX,
Feb 5-Mch 4—JSC Guardian.

HON. W. McDONALD LEE OF VIRGINIA,
National Director for the Campaign for National and World Wide Prohibition.

SHOWS NEED FOR "DRY" CAMPAIGN

INTERVIEW WITH DIRECTOR W. McDONALD LEE.

LAW ENFORCEMENT FIRST

$9,000,000 To Be Spent In Fighting Bolshevism By Americanizing Foreigners.

W. McDonald Lee, National Director of the great campaign launched by the Anti-Saloon League of America, has made the following statement showing the objects of the campaign, why it is necessary, and to what purposes the funds raised will be devoted.

"We have three great aims in this campaign," declared Mr. Lee, "all of which will appeal to every patriotic American who has the welfare of his own country at heart and any regard for the moral and spiritual welfare and progress of our neighboring nations. These aims are as follows:

(1) To aid home Law Enforcement (requiring about nine million).

(2) To Americanize the Foreigner (requiring about nine million).

(3) A Dry World by 1930 (including Mexico and West Indies).

"A fourth of the money raised in the campaign is to be left in the State for object one, "Law Enforcement," which means creating public sentiment for observance of law, and demand for officers who will enforce the law. Internal Revenue Commissioner Daniel Roper and Federal and State officers nearly everywhere invite such co-operation by our organization and similar ones. Liquor interests have organized—it is said with $400,000,000 fund—twenty-four States, in effort to elect a Congress that will increase alcoholic contents from one-fourth of one per cent. to ten, or even forty per cent., and thus defeat the aims of Prohibition and nullify the Eighteenth amendment.

"Another fourth of the money, for object two, goes to the Anti-Saloon League of America for work among aliens in this country. We must make good and law-abiding citizens of those foreigners who stay with us, through education, literature and speakers in the only language they may know. While harangued by anarchists and booze-advocates they remain a menace to our institutions. These scattered colonies within our borders can be reached only through the systematic and studied propaganda of the National League.

"Such of the remainder of the funds as may be determined by the State and National League is to be devoted to object three. All the world is now our neighbor. Five critical years have demonstrated that we are vitally affected by conditions elsewhere on the globe. One dollar's worth of liquor will counteract a hundred dollars of the money so generously given to missions by Baptists, Methodists, Presbyterians, Episcopalians and others. Let's help make effective these missionary gifts. The missionary pleads for our help against the emigrating liquor dealer and his wares that are hurrying to other shores.

"Under objects one and two the Anti-Saloon League seeks to remove the cause that Y. M. C. A., Red Cross, Salvation Army and other noble bodies are earnestly striving to remedy. With law enforcement, proper education and removal of temptation there will be less poverty, fewer dens of vice, a redemption from misery to women and children, and the work of those great organizations will be made easier and the quicker accomplished.

"Under object three it will be possible to "clean up" Cuba and the Bahamas from the liquor and vice contagion that is already affecting our shores. Mexico also, because of which probably a hundred million dollars a year is spent by our American Government to keep the peace, would be less a disturbing element if drink were abolished and this can be accomplished. As an aid in preventing Bolshevism from spreading to our shores, some countries of the Old World should be made acquainted with our customs and laws and their citizens taught to respect such before emigrating here.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In Court of the County Judge, Osceola County, State of Florida. In Re Estate of John Dilworth.

To all Creditors, Legatees, Distributees and all Persons having claims or Demands Against said Estate:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified and required to present any claims and demands which you, or either of you, may have against the estate of John Dilworth, deceased, late of Osceola County, Florida, to the undersigned Executrix of said estate, within two years from the date hereof.

Dated January, A. D., 1920.

MARCELLA POTTS,
Feb 5-Mch 25 Executrix.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In Court of the County Judge, Osceola County, State of Florida. In re Estate of Elizabeth Benson.

To all Creditors, Legatees, Distributees and all Persons Having Claims or Demands Against said Estate:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified and required to present any claims and demands which you, or either of you, may have against the estate of Elizabeth Benson, deceased, late of Osceola County, Florida, to the undersigned Administratrix of said estate, within one year from the date hereof.

Dated January 21st, A. D. 1920.

J. ALICE LIVINGSTON,
23-9t Administratrix.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In Court of the County Judge, Osceola County, State of Florida. In re Estate of George W. Marsh.

To all Creditors, Legatees, Distributees and all Persons Having Claims or Demands Against Said Estate:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified and required to present any claims and demands which you, or either of you, may have against the estate of George W. Marsh, deceased, late of Osceola County, Florida, to the undersigned Administrator of said estate, within one year from the date hereof.

Dated January 17th, A. D. 1920.

JAMES L. MARSH,
22-8t Administrator.

NOTICE EXECUTRIX FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

In the Court of County Judge, State of Florida. In the Estate of S. L. Clauson, deceased, Osceola County.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1920, I shall apply to the Honorable T. M. Murphy, Judge of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for my final discharge as Executrix of the estate of S. L. Clauson, deceased, and that at the same time I will present my final accounts as Executrix of said estate and ask for their approval.

Dated January 17th, A. D. 1920.

NANCY ELLEN CLAUSON,
Executrix.

JOHNSTON & GARRETT,
Counse for Executrix. Jan 22-Mch 25

NOTICE ADMINISTRATOR FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

In the Court of County Judge, State of Florida. In the Estate of Horace J. Barclay, Defendant Osceola County.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that on the 26th day of March, A. D. 1920, I shall apply to the Honorable T. M. Murphy, Judge of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for my final discharge as Administrator of the estate of Horace J. Barclay, deceased, and at the same time I will present my final accounts as Administrator of said estate and ask for their approval.

Dated January 29th, A. D. 1920.

JOSEPH A. BARCLAY,
1-22-3-18 Administrator.

AFTER NINE YEARS

THIS TESTIMONY REMAINS UNSHAKEN

Time is the best test of truth. Here is an Orlando story that has stood the test of time. It is a story with a point which will come straight home to many of us.

Mrs. J. D. Renaker, 602 S. Hughey St., Orlando, Fla., says: "I had severe backaches and my kidneys gave me a lot of trouble. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and got a box. I never used a remedy that did me as much good as this medicine, for they relieved me of all the aches and pains, corrected my kidneys, and I gladly reccommend them."

Above statement was given February 20, 1910, and on March 23, 1918 Mrs. Renaker said: "It is with pleasure that I again recommend Doan's Kidney Pills for the cure they gave me has been prmanent. They are just as represented."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doans Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Renaker had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. adv.

COMRADE W. H. REAGAN
of St. Cloud, Fla.

Author of the State Law passed at the last session of the Florida Legislature to Prohibit the Desecration of the Flag. He served in Co. H, 11th Tennessee Cavalry in the Civil War, also 9th Tennessee Cavalry.

Action Needed on Roosevelt Memorials

So far all has been talk as to the different honors proposed in Congress to the memory of Roosevelt. Concrete action has not been taken on any of them and no one comes forth with the reasons why. Like many bills in Congress, they are resting "in committee." One bill proposed to make Roosevelt's birthday a national holiday. Then came the measure to erect a shrine to his memory in the form of a national monument to be located near the Washington monument and the Lincoln Memorial. Later the proposal was made to place his portrait on a postage stamp, and now comes Senator McLean of Connecticut with a bill for the coinage of a two-cent piece with Roosevelt's picture on it. Probably the first real tribute to be made the great man by the government which he served so well and faithful will be the placing of his portrait on paper money. This can be done without the authority of Congress, the right to do so being vested in the Secretary of the Treasury.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In Court of the County Judge, Osceola County, State of Florida. In Re Estate of Ezekiel Emerson.

To all Creditors, Legatees, Distributees and all Persons having Claims against said Estate:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified and required to present any claims and demands which you, or either of you, may have against the estate of Ezekiel Emerson, deceased, late of Osceola County, Florida, to the undersigned Administrator of said Estate within two years from the date hereof.

Dated January 29th, A. D. 1920.

C. Z. LIPPINCOTT,
24-3t Administrator.

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It is thin-blooded, anemic people that disease strikes first. The fact that you have had a very few serious illnesses has nothing to do with it. Everyone gets run-down occasionally, and when they do, the blood is in no condition to fight off disease germs, because it has not enough red corpuscles. It is the red corpuscles of the blood that fight disease and save you from sickness.

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mule colt, the latter now being larger than its mother.

Mr. Johnston requests any one having good hogs and cattle to communicate with him not later than Feb. 5.

He says he and Mr. Bruns will likely have the only herd of Holstein cattle at the Tampa fair, according to the information of the superintendent of entries there.

The Cattle Growers Association of Florida, which will meet in Tampa on March 16 and 17, now awaits reports from the program and are arrangement committees. This will be the first annual meeting of this organization and new members are joining. It is expected there will be about three hundred on the rolls by the time of the meeting and practically all will attend the session, it being the first gathering of the kind, when a general exchange of views are necessary.

AMERICAN LEGION MEETING ON THURSDAY LAST

Several members of the American Legion of Kissimmee visited St. Cloud last Thursday evening to hold a meeting with local ex-service men with a view to secure more members.

Those coming from Kissimmee were: A. E. Bearden, Ernest Oliver, M. B. Carson, Raymond Bearden, M. C. DuPont, Will Westervelt, E. L. Fennell, Roy Graves, Howard Hirtsel and C. L. McLean.

An interesting talk was made to the members by First Lieutenant Frank of the medical corps of the U. S. Army, who is in St. Cloud on leave of absence.

Several members of the Grand Army of the Republic were in attendance and made a request of the members of the American Legion to lend their support in securing a soldiers' home for the veterans of the civil war, in St. Cloud. The veterans of the blue were promised every possible support by the Legion members who will take up the matter at the state convention to be held next May in Jacksonville, and ask that the state body refer the request to the organization. Resolutions to this effect will be framed and presented to the G. A. R.

Mr. Carson talked upon experience during the world war and increased membership. Four new members were taken in at the session and Vice Commander C. A. Bailey of St. Cloud is preparing a list of eligibles and will report at a meeting to be held in Kissimmee next Thursday night.

The finances of the Legion are rather low and it is contemplated getting up a minstrel show or an entertainment of some kind, to be held in Kissimmee and St. Cloud to raise funds for necessary purposes. One of them is to secure a hall for meetings which will be an expensive item.

It was decided to order a number of American Legion insignias in the form of buttons.

GRAND JURY FOR THE CIRCUIT COURT IS SUMMONED FEB. 9

Jurors have been drawn for the spring term of the circuit court of Osceola county which convenes Feb. 9 next, with Judge C. O. Andrews presiding. There are thirty-six summoned, eighteen of whom will be drawn for grand jury duty and the remainder for the petit jury.

Following are those summoned for jury duty:

S. J. Entriken, H. W. Himan, Raymond Lanier, G. W. Overstreet, F. C. Bryan, C. H. Funk, W. W. Carson, C. B. Buckley, J. R. Johnson, S. B. Story, W. E. Parmer, W. W. Ivey, W. F. Kenney, C. C. Bass, G. P. Arrowsmith, J. H. Bronson, R. V. Phillips, J. W. Miller, Albert Acree, J. J. Woodall, W. S. Bronson, J. E. Sharp, G. W. Persons, J. R. Bronson, J. J. Griffin, Tie Bass, W. I. Bronson, A. E. Bass, A. C. Tison, Joe Prevatt, J. R. Donegan, I. H. Baldnight, E. B. Havens, H. H. Fertic, P. G. Cromartie and C. A. Carson, Jr.

The light of an incandescent lamp is said to be increased by a new globe made of phosphorescent material.

Business Getters
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Classified advertisements five cents per line (eight point type, count six words to the line). Payable in advance. No advertisements will be charged for less than 25 cents.

FOR SALE—Lot 12, Block 83, St. Cloud, Tract 95, Section 23, Township 26, Range 30, Osceola county, Fla. If interested make offer at once. R. E. Beach, Jamestown, Ohio. 21-4tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Lots 6 and 7, Block 409, the Lakefront addition to the Town of St. Cloud. Will be sold for a reasonable price or be exchanged with property in Denver, Colo. B. Nishburn, 2010 Larimer St., Denver Colo. 21-4t

VIOLIN FOR SALE—Apply at 316 South Virginia avenue. 15-tf

WANTED—Address of Talmer Evans, formerly Talmer Morris. Last heard from in Greenville, S. C. Address any information to Pink Morris, St. Cloud, Fla. 11tf

HAVE YOU ANYTHING you do not need that you would sell? Put a 5-line ad in this column and see what wonders it will work. tf

WANTED—Comfortable room with board in private family for elderly lady who walks with crutch and cane but needs no care. Answer at once to Mrs. Myda Morgan, Haines City, Fla., Box 275. 22

FOR SALE—Four room house on lot 50 x 150 on Ohio avenue, between Sixth and Seventh streets, 2 1-2 acre grape fruit grove on east edge of town, right on Dixie Highway. $1,500 takes them both or $800 for the house and lot and $700 for the grove. Address M. Burr, Bettendorf, Iowa. 22

FURNISHED ROOMS—Centrally located, block house near railroad, on Ohio ave. tf

FOR SALE—No. 28 Wood heating stove. 215 N. Michigan Ave. 24-1tp

FOR SALE OR RENT—A truck farm with house and barn, lake front, near canal, good condition. Also Guernsey milch cow. Call 415 Florida avenue. Jas. S. Bracken. 24-1tp

FOR SALE—Cottage, three rooms and porch, on Runnymede Lake, near Ashton. Crops, bees, furniture and tools; bed, hair mattress and woven wire spring. Apply A. McSeveny, on premises. 24-1tp

WANTED—Competent cook at the Badger. 24-1t

FOR SALE—Half-price, pedigreed pointer dog, valuable for stud. Also white leghorn yearlings now laying. W. G. Peckham. 24-4tp

FOR SALE—One window frame for 24x30 glass. A. M. Vance. 24-1tp

PLANT your Cassava now; 25c per hundred. Merrill, 512 So. Mass Ave. 24-tf

FOR RENT—A 7-room house, furnished. T. O. Holliday. 24-2t

ORANGES FOR SALE—One cent each. Apply to E. M. Franklin, Missouri avenue, near 9th street. 1t.

FOR A QUICK CASH SALE—Three building lots, all together, fine location, 17-18-19, Block 49. Good title; $425.00 gets them. Apply Valley Gazette, Kissimmee, Fla. 15tf

FOR SALE—Eight-room house on Delaware Ave., two lots, house is wired for electric lights; good well; a bargain at $650 cash. Address Box 625, St. Cloud, Florida. 7-tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Lots 4 and 5, Block 228, St. Cloud; Tract 118 and Tract 123, Sec. 14, Township 27 S., Range 30 E., Osceola County, Fla. Who wants this land and lots. Make offers. Owner, James R. Hawkins, 817 Sixth St., Miami, Fla. 11tf

LAWN MOWERS REPAIRED—Call D. E. Proper, Third St. and Ohio Ave. tf

THIS COLUMN GETS CLOSER together the people who desire to trade. In fact, this is a traders' column. What have you to offer? tf

WANTED—A good revolver, 32 caliber or larger. Address Box 33, St. Cloud, Fla. 19-tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—In Doop's Addition, 4-room house, 6 lots, 1 barn and shed, outbuildings, 3 wells one artesian well, about 20 young fruit trees. Will take 5- or 7-passenger car in part payment. John H. Armstrong. 17tf

GET "To Rent" or "For Sale" signs at the Tribune office. tf

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred White Langshang chickens, nine hens and ten cockerels. Hens or cockerels $2 each. T. L. Comer, 120 Dakota Ave., between Ninth and Tenth streets.

WANTED—A cook at the Graystone. Good wages. Inquire Graystone hotel, Kissimmee, Fla. 22-1t

LOST—On street Sunday afternoon, a black ostrich feather boa. Finder return to St. Cloud Tribune office. 22-1t

LOST—A pocketbook between N. Y. Ave. and Lakeview hotel; contained about $7 cash. Return to this office and oblige a veteran of the Civil war. 22-1t

LOTS OF LOTS

If you want a good lot CHEAP look for a RED STAKE, then look up N. A. Strait, St. Cloud hotel. 22

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR SHERIFF

We are authorized to announce the name of James Smith as a candidate for Sheriff of Osceola County, subject to the Democratic primary to be held in June. Mr. Smith will appreciate your vote.

We are authorized to announce the name of G. C. ("Cleve") Outlaw, as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Osceola County, subject to the wishes of the Democratic voters in the June primary election.

Young Tindall announces himself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Osceola County, subject to the Democratic primary, and solicits the vote of every Democrat in the county.

L. R. Farmer, former deputy sheriff in Osceola county and other Florida counties, is a candidate for Sheriff of Osceola county, and will appreciate the votes in the June primary. He will meet all voters who don't already know him in this county before the day of election.

FOR GOVERNOR

Hon. Cary A. Hardee, of Live Oak, Fla., former Speaker of the House of Representatives in the Florida legislature, is a candidate for governor, and is running on a platform that means something to the people of this great commonwealth.

Vote for
HON. CARY A. HARDEE
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INTERESTING HAPPENINGS AT COUNTY CAPITAL BY REGULAR CORRESPONDENT

CELESTE J. FRIPP

This is a busy week for church and club workers. On Tuesday afternoon the Presbyterian ladies held their business meeting in the manse. On Wednesday afternoon the Methodist women had their monthly business session in the Bungalow. On Tuesday afternoon the Baptist women held their monthly social program with Mrs. J. A. Barclay in her home on Bryan street. There was a large attendance and the following program was rendered:

Prayer—Mrs .N. C. Bryan.
Scripture reading by seven members on the Bible Law to the strangers.
Talk on Americanization—Mrs. E. S. Hall.
Talk by Mrs. O. B. Falls.
Prayer—Dr. Pike Powers.
Talk by Mrs. Grantham.
Talk by Mrs. N. C. Bryan.
Reading by Mrs. J. E. Lupfer.
Prayer by Mrs. J. A. Barclay.

The subject for the above talks was "Americanization." Delicious refreshments were served.

On Friday afternoon at the Chapter House the Mothers' Club will have business and social program, embracing matters of much interest. On Friday night, Feb. 6th, at the Baptist church, Mrs. John F. Fuller of Orlando will speak in the interest of the Anti-Saloon League. Mrs. Fuller is a member of the State Federation Board of women's clubs. She is president of the Florida Equal Suffrage Association. She will bring a message well worth hearing. As a speaker she is one of the most forceful, brilliant and logical that appears on the Florida program.

On Monday night at 7:30 o'clock Miss Margaret Slattery, so well known to readers of the religious press, so dearly beloved by thousands of girls of the teen age, will speak in the Baptist church. Fortunate is Kissimmee and Osceola county in having this well known author on the afternoon and evening of Feb. 9. She is expected to arrive at 2 p. m.. At 3:30 possibly there will be a meeting in the High school, arranged by Miss Leitner, for the teen age girls. Miss Slattery will leave on the 9:30 o'clock train for Tampa. While here she will be the special guest of Mrs. O. B. Falls, who at one time was Miss Slattery's pupil.

The Mothers' club invited the city council and officers of the Board of Trade to lunch at the school lunch room on Wednesday. Of the Board of Trade there were present H. C. Stanford, secretary: Sam L. Lupfer, A. S. Nelson and Edgar Katz. Of the city council, G. W. Fox, H. M. Breaker, A. S. Gilbert, R. S. Floyd, W. H. Arnold, Attorney O'Bryan, J. R. Gilbert, Floyd Tison and Mayor Steed. The Mothers'-Teachers' club is so proud of the successful lunch room that we feel the publishing of the following letters is pardonable:

Tallahassee, Fla., Jan. 27, 1920.
Miss Albina Smith,
Kissimmee, Fla.

My Dear Miss Smith:—The Woman's club of Fort Pierce are very anxious to start a hot lunch in their public school, and I told Mrs. Edgar Lewis that I would ask you to write her detailed accounts of how you are conducting your hot lunch room. She is anxious to know something of the financial side of it—whether it pays for itself and something about the types of foods you serve, and the prices you ask for each. In fact, any information you can give her will be most gratefully received.

Sincerely,
EDITH M. THOMAS,
State Supervisor Home Economics.

N. B. Miss Thomas visited our lunch room the first week it was opened.

Quincy, Fla., Jan. 29, 1920.
Mrs. W. J. Fripp,
Kissimmee, Fla.

Dear Mrs. Fripp:—We are arranging to begin serving hot lunches to the school children and the ladies who have the work in hand have asked me to write to you and ask you to send us as many of your menu cards as you can.

I have kept up with the work being done by the Mothers'-Teachers' club by reading the paper and I just want to say that Kissimmee is indeed fortunate to have such an organization working for the welfare of the whole community.

We are delighted with Quincy, but of course, we sometimes have spells of home-sickness for Kissimmee.

Thanking you in advance for your kindness in this matter, I am, yours most sincerely.

R. M. EVANS.

On Sunday Kissimmee pastors will present the interest of the Near East Relief. Mrs. G. W. Best, county chairman of this particular work, has given most generously of her time and self to arouse the sympathy of our people for those who in Armenian fields are now dying in squalor and want.

The St. Johns Guild held a very successful and pleasurable meeting Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. S. H. Bullock.

Rev. C. H. Summers is at home because of illness of both himself and Mrs. Bullock.

Rev. C. M. Dunaway is here for the week with his family. All are stopping with Mrs. M. A. Clark.

Universal in Kissimmee is the feeling of sorrow over the serious illness of Mr. C. N. Paver. On Wednesday Mr. Paver was taken to the Orlando hospital.

Mr. S. L. Lupfer received word on Tuesday of the death of his brother, A. M. Lupfer, of Portland, Ore. Mr. Lupfer held an important position with the Great Northern railway.

Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Falls have as their guest Mrs. Thomas Trotter of Toronto, Canada. Mrs. Trotter is a cousin. We wish she would tarry in Kissimmee that we might enjoy her rare culture and intelligence.

Mrs. M. L. Meadows of Iowa is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. M. Breaker.

Mr. and Mrs. James Blasengame of Richmond, Va., are guests of the J. E. Lupfers.

Mrs. H. C. Stanford is entertaining her gracious friend, Mrs. Jacobs.

Kissimmee is especially pleased in the coming of Dr. Howard M. Ingham and his interesting wife. The Inghams are people of culture, widely traveled. They many years ago established in Arkansas its first public library.

OSCEOLA LIVESTOCK EXHIBIT AT FAIRS

Pat Johnston, one of the leading raisers of pure bred stock in this section of the state, and secretary of the Cattle Growers' Association of Florida, announces there will not be a fair by the Osceola County Fair Association in Kissimmee this year, but there will be a live stock exhibit at the Orlando fair and the South Florida fair at Tampa.

So far, F. H. Bruns of Narcoossee, and Pat Johnston have agreed to send a herd of about fifteen Holsteins to Orlando and Tampa and will also exhibit seven head of Chester White hogs of weight and excellence.

J. W. Miller of Kissimmee will show Shetland ponies and a pony with a

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